



**GLEN MOORE**

Mrs. Francis Hogan, corr. Richard Petersman, delivery. Phone Pottstown 166-3-4.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Huzzard, Spring City, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Davis recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder entertained members of the family at a dinner recently in honor of the 51st wedding anniversary of Mr. Snyder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snyder. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hughes and chil-

dren, Emma and Nathan; Carol Ann Ebling, great-granddaughter of the Snyder's, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Patton and sons, Clarence Jr., Jerry and Richard, and Sandy and Shirley, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder, who celebrated their 16th wedding anniversary the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Irey were recent visitors of his mother, Mrs. Jenny Irey.

The Glen Moore baseball team was the winner, 3-2, in the opening game with Chester Springs recently.

**Man Struck by Auto  
Seeks \$25,000 Damages**

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, May 11—Suit for \$25,000 was filed today at the court house by Guy Crawford, 43 Hemlock Row, Pottstown, for injuries received in an automobile accident Oct. 19, 1947.

Crawford contends he was hurled approximately 25 feet when hit by a car operated by William R. King, of Lansdowne. The accident occurred on High street, near Penn Village.

The plaintiff, still confined to his home, claims he suffered a fracture of the skull, paralysis of his right side and loss of his right leg which was amputated above the knee.

**SCHWENKVILLE**

Mrs. Mary C. Moser, corr., Russell Keyser, delivery. Phone Schwenkville 1336.

The Ivy Troop Girl Scouts were guests at a party given by the Skipack Girl Scouts in the Skipack fire house recently.

Mrs. Harvey Keyser returned home from the Pottstown hospital recently.

There will be confirmation and communion in the Jerusalem Lutheran church Sunday at 10:30 a. m. The old chalice has been equipped with a pouring lip and will be used with the individual cups at this service.

The Sunday school of the Jeru-

salem Lutheran church held their monthly meeting after services Sunday. At the services, each mother was given a potted plant by the Bible class.

The Women's Civic club will meet at borough hall today at 2 o'clock. The meeting will be in charge of the new president, Mrs. Clarence Tyson. Other new officers are: Mrs. Carol Schmidt, vice president;

Mrs. Sara Vogt, secretary; Mrs. Warren Foy, treasurer; Mrs. Thomas Russel, assistant treasurer. The entertainment will consist of a moving picture, "Beauty Spots of Pennsylvania." All members are urged to attend and bring a guest.

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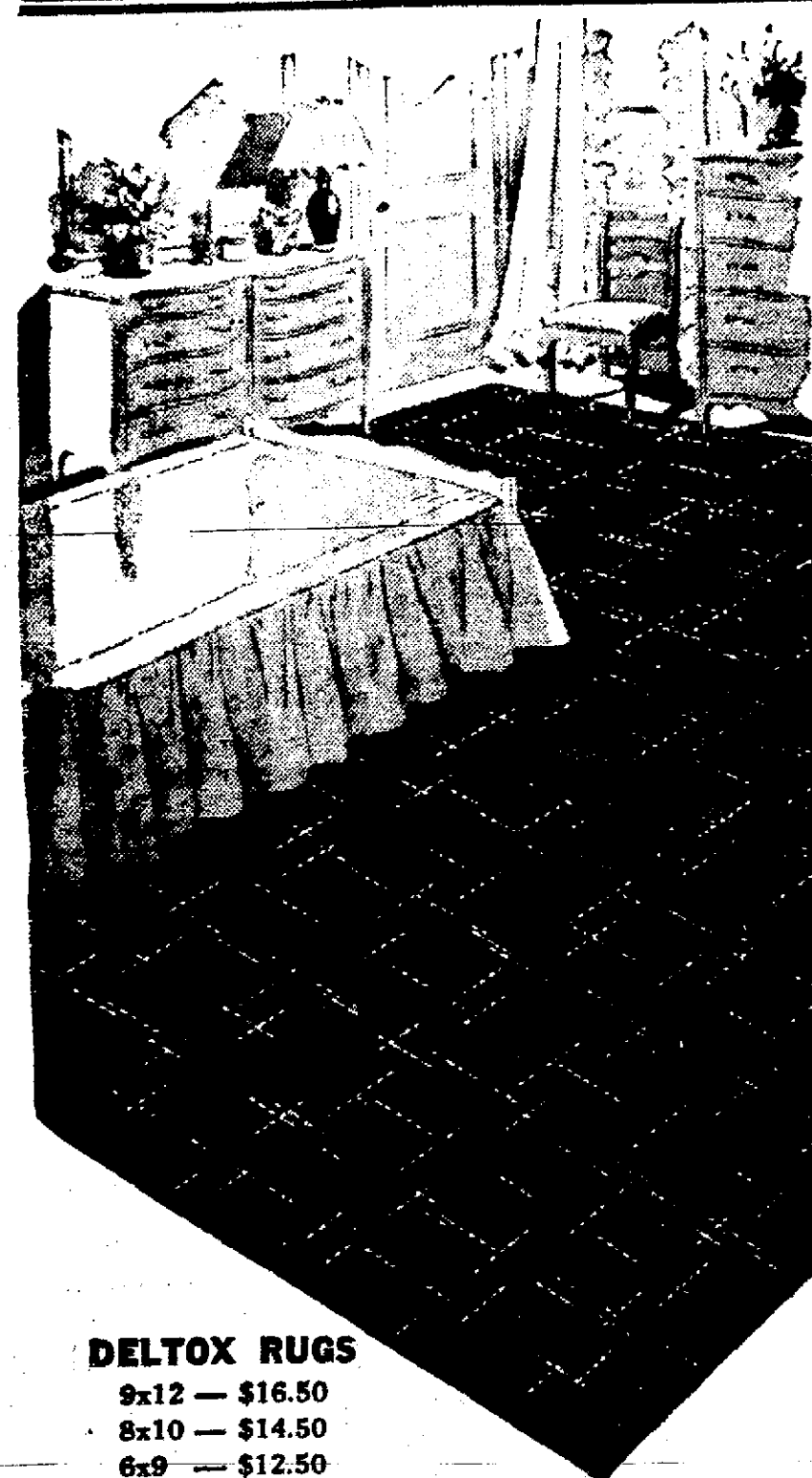
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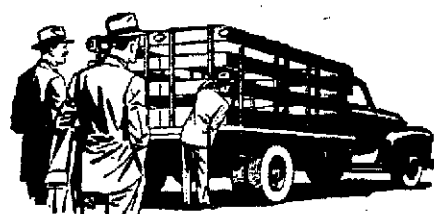
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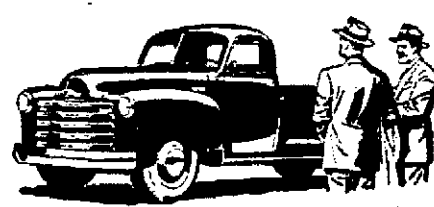


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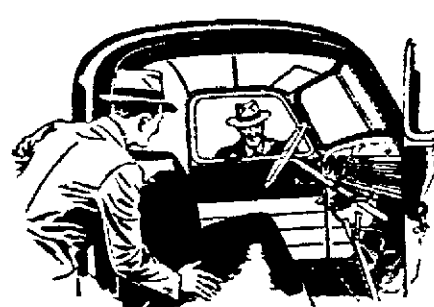
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## Marshal Selected For Borough Parade

Sidney Pollock, past commander of Lehigh-Friedman-Kessler Post 367, Jewish War Veterans, was announced as marshal of the Memorial Day parade Monday night at a meeting.

Pollock was named marshal at a recent meeting of Pottstown's combined veterans' organizations, 30 members were told.

All veterans bodies in the borough will participate in the parade scheduled Monday, May 31, at 9 a. m. In addition, David Kessler, present commander, will lead Post 363 at the combined Ellis Woods memorial services Sunday, May 23, it was announced.

Kessler was in charge of the meeting in the post's quarters in the Security Trust building.

## RUTSCHKY DEATH —

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on their backs and later helping him build a new home at the same site.

"I've really never forgotten that kind gesture of the people here," Mr. Rutschky's only son, Carl W. Jr., of York, said.

While living in Stowe he was an active member of St. Peter's Lutheran church serving as Sunday school teacher and church councilman.

HE WENT TO WORK as assistant plumber to Frank Seasholtz and remained at that job for 20 years until founding his own shop, first at Charlotte and Chestnut streets, and later at 637 North Charlotte street.

His battle with bad luck and his insistence that a man should work for a living precluded his being active in civic organizations. But at one time he had been a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Surviving in addition to his wife, who was married to him for 58 years, and his son, there is one grandchild.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street. Officiating will be the Rev. Kenneth R. Anderson, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe. Interment will be made in Pottstown West End cemetery.

## BODY REMOVED

McINTYRE, May 11 (P)—Workmen toiled four hours with Jacks and Chisels today to remove the body of Bruno Baykowski, 66, from under 500 tons of rock in a fall at the McIntyre mine of the Pittsburgh & Rochester Coal company.

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## BLOOD SERVICE —

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list during her recent illness in the Pottstown hospital.

The donors give mostly to patients in the two local hospitals, although they also have traveled as far as Philadelphia to give blood transfusions to Pottstownians.

LEADING THE LIST is Empress President Ralph Marino of 645 Chestnut street, who has given blood five times during the past eight months.

Joseph A. Keough of 661 North Keim street and Francis Boikert of 1015 South street, each have given the vital fluid three times.

Yerkey explained yesterday that local industries are co-operating with the fire company by allowing workers who have given blood to rest up after their contribution.

A list of the donors, with their type blood and the last time they gave, always is available at the Empress' firehouse.

Many of the members have given twice. They include Frank Brauner, of 911 Queen street, Herbert Rutler of Pottstown RD 4, James Orr of 74 North Franklin street, Parker H. Myers, of 395 North Adams street, John J. Fram, of 117 North Washington street, Fire Chief Rudolph E. Lindauer, of 360 Beech street, Robert M. Focht, of 710 Walnut street, Paul Reigner, of 173 North Franklin street and Albert Snyder, of Pottstown RD 3.

Other donors have been Edward Tardow, of 425 Jefferson avenue; Yerkey, of 20 South Hanover street; Franklin K. Reigner, of 173 North Franklin street; Clarence Silfer, of 157 Walnut street; John C. Lachman, of 144 Beech street; Raymond Kohler, of 320 South Hanover street.

Also, Elwood L. Kerr, of 615 Grant street; Willis Toland, of North Hills boulevard; Joseph Thees, of 119 North Evans street; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boyer, of 32, High street; Paul Fliz, of 384 High street; Richard Hartline, of 540 High street.

Also James Bradley of 462 North Charlotte street; William A. Lessig, Jr., of 109 North Warren street; Russell Benner, of 35 West Fifth street, and Joseph Brauner, of 608 Grant street.

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## Builder to Erect Five Homes Here

Plans for the erection of five dwellings in Pottstown were announced yesterday by Warren B. Zern, local builder.

Zern said he would build three moderately priced homes on Wilson street, west of Spruce street, and two higher priced homes on Moser road south of High street. All will be of brick construction.

The smaller, Wilson street homes will contain a living room, dinette, kitchen, two bedrooms and bath. They will sell below \$10,000. The Moser road homes will be larger, will sell in the neighborhood of \$16,000.

The construction will make another small dent in Pottstown's housing shortage. Large scale construction now includes the Brookside Homes operation on North Franklin street, near Prospect where ten or more homes are under roof and the Maple Gardens apartment operation on Hanover street, north of Prospect, where some apartments may be occupied in July.

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## Builder to Erect Five Homes Here

Plans for the erection of five dwellings in Pottstown were announced yesterday by Warren B. Zern, local builder.

Zern said he would build three moderately priced homes on Wilson street, west of Spruce street, and two higher priced homes on Moser road south of High street. All will be of brick construction.

The smaller, Wilson street homes will contain a living room, dinette, kitchen, two bedrooms and bath. They will sell below \$10,000. The Moser road homes will be larger, will sell in the neighborhood of \$16,000.

The construction will make another small dent in Pottstown's housing shortage. Large scale construction now includes the Brookside Homes operation on North Franklin street, near Prospect where ten or more homes are under roof and the Maple Gardens apartment operation on Hanover street, north of Prospect, where some apartments may be occupied in July.

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### SEASHOLTZ DEATH —

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ness over to his son, Paul, and Howard Steller and became superintendent of the Water Works a year later. He remained in that position until he died. He stayed on after the borough took over the department the past September.

Mr. Seasholtz was a member of Emmanuel Lutheran church all his life, superintendent of the Junior department of the Sunday school and a member of the church council and the Brotherhood class for many years.

He was also a member of Odd Fellows here and Rajah Temple Shrine, Reading; a charter member of the Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company; and a past master of Slichter Lodge 254 F and AM.

Besides Mrs. Seasholtz, he is survived by a daughter, Marie, wife of Willard Dorang, at home; two grandchildren and one great grandchild; and a brother, Morris L. Seasholtz, of 24 South Evans street.

Funeral arrangements were not complete last night.

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### Palsy Flies Home, Now at Seashore

Patsy Mosher, the 15-year-old Senior High school sophomore who underwent an emergency appendectomy in Oil City as one of Pottstown's competitors in the State Forensic contests, is now in Ocean City, N. J., recuperating.

Her mother, Mrs. Earl J. Mosher, 671 Hawthorne avenue, said Patsy flew from Oil City to the Stowe airport in a four-seater plane, accompanied by a doctor and nurse. The plane landed here at 4 p. m. Saturday.

Patsy left the next day for a prolonged visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Harry Tinkler, Ocean City. She will stay there all Summer, Mrs. Mosher believed.

The school has agreed to pass the youngster on to the Junior class without making her take final examinations.

Her mother said she seemed well but nervous.

### SYNOD'S RALLY —

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directed by the Rev. Cyrus T. Giessner, Norristown.

THE MORNING SESSION was highlighted by an address by the Rev. George W. Richards, representative to the church's general council, and a discussion of the proposed merger with the Congregational Christian denomination.

The Rev. Richards made an appeal for contributions to stricken nations of Asia and Europe. He stressed that the church is pledged to a \$3,000,000 donation for these countries.

The merger proposal will come before a vote of the synod this morning at 10:10 o'clock.

### District Officer Lauds Kiwanis Club Attendance

District 12 Lt. Gov. George Andrews, of Phoenixville, paid his first visit to the Pottstown Kiwanis club last night, at a meeting in the Elks' home attended by 60 members, 90 percent of the club's enrollment.

"The club with good attendance is a club that accomplishes things," Andrews declared, as he discussed the principles of Kiwanis.

It was announced by President John B. Hartenstein Jr., who was in charge, that the Bethlehem Kiwanis club will come to next week's meeting to present a surprise program, "The Traveling Gavel."

### CHURCH CLEARED —

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Ministerial association, and Burgess William A. Griffith also greeted the First Presbyterian congregation warmly and congratulated them.

Music during the evening included solos by William S. Carden, secretary of the extension division of the YMCA, and religious songs by the "Triads," a women's chorus led by Mrs. Irma I. Miller.

### MIBS TESTS —

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elimination class, Richard Elitz, 1243 Maple street, defeated Robert Woodley, 470 Spruce street, 7-4.

At the Upper Pottsgrove school, Donald Walters, Pottstown RD 3, and Bobby Evans, Pottstown RD 3, won the Fifth and Sixth grade championships respectively.

In addition to the classroom champions determined at the Rupert school yesterday, other classroom champions are John Cross, 1321 Queen street, Harold McElroy, 1065 Queen street, and Terry Shaner, 846 South street.

Next time Boston brown bread is on the menu to be served with baked beans try slicing and toasting it instead of steaming it.

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### MOSQUITO PROJECT —

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Hartman pointed out, "and arranged with Stoltz to do the job."

In addition to the State malaria officer, officers in charge of State fisheries had to give their approval of the project, since DDT kills fish.

Finally, the borough of Pottstown had to be asked to give the pilot of the spraying airplane permission to fly at only 30-40 feet over Manatoway park, the low level necessary if the fatal solution is to be effective.

THE SOLUTION WILL consist of one-half pound of DDT in one-half gallon of white kerosene, according to Hartman, and 175 pounds of it will be used in each of the four planned sprays.

He warned residents of the area to close their windows and to keep wash off their line.


"The solution is definitely not injurious to humans, animals or plants," Hartman emphasized, "but it will kill fish and it may give clothes a strange odor."

To help finance the project, Jaycee members will conduct a house-to-house canvass among the residents of the Manatoway area beginning at 6:30 p. m. Monday, May 17.

The job will cost \$175 for each spraying. Hartman said that the

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### YMCA DRIVE —

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physical director's office, will cost \$34,000.

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The total figure for the mechanical work alone in the YMCA improvement program has been placed at \$130,000.

To help pay for the program, dormant funds in general membership for protection fees and businessmen's club fees, all would be raised.

If the board tonight approves his extensive program Patterson said, either local or outside help will be utilized to put on a comprehensive public drive for funds.

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### Richard Spare Honored By Optimist Members

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He received a certificate from Optimist president Harry H. Hunsberger, and also was presented with an engraved pen and pencil set.

### PARADISE FOR PAIN

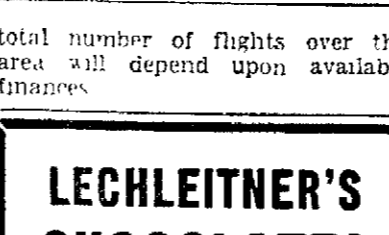
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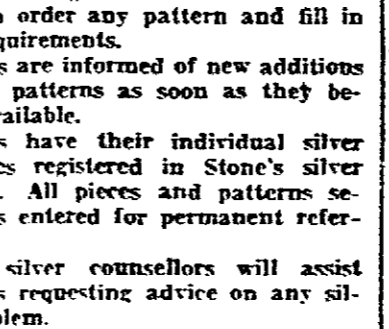
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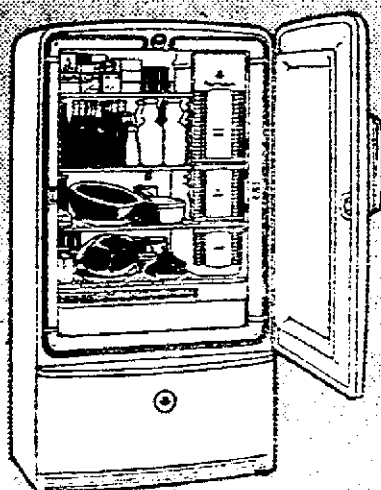
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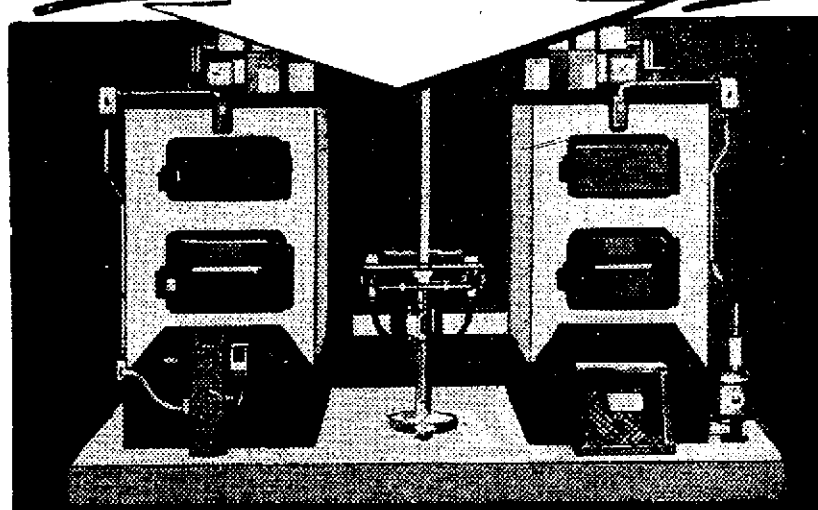
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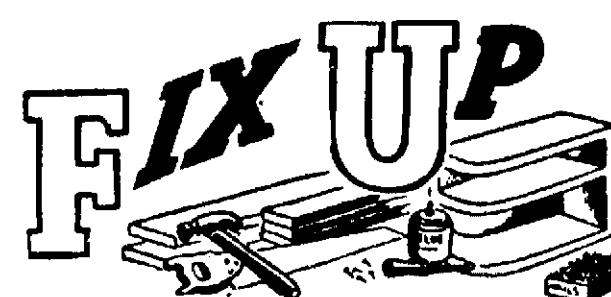
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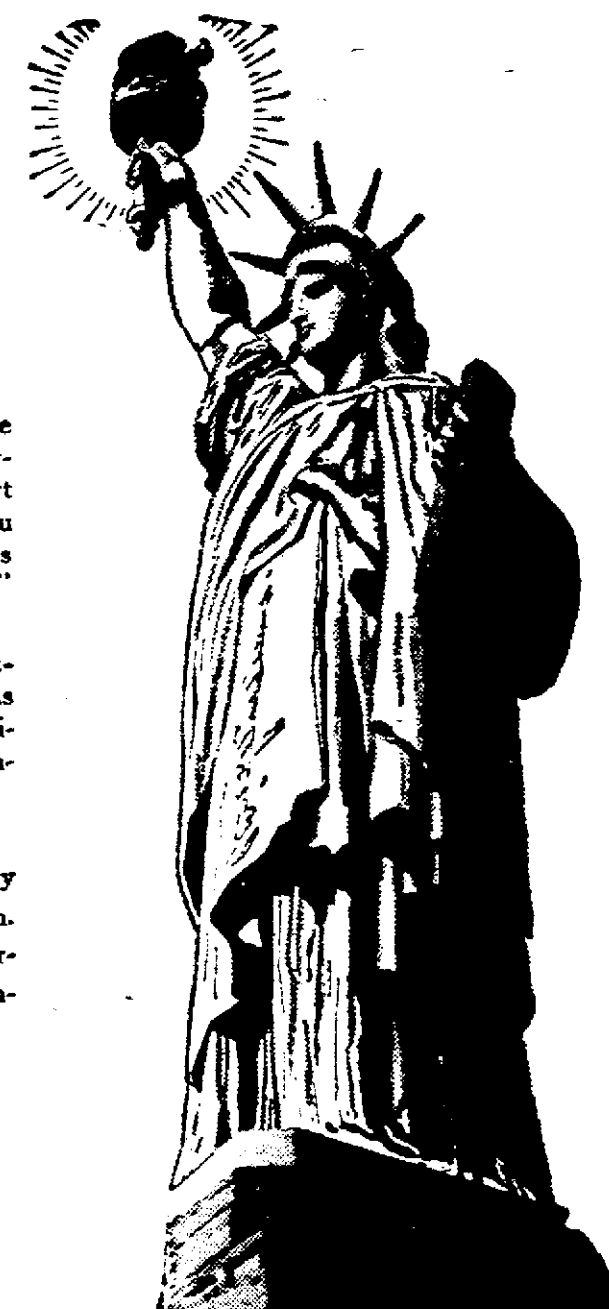
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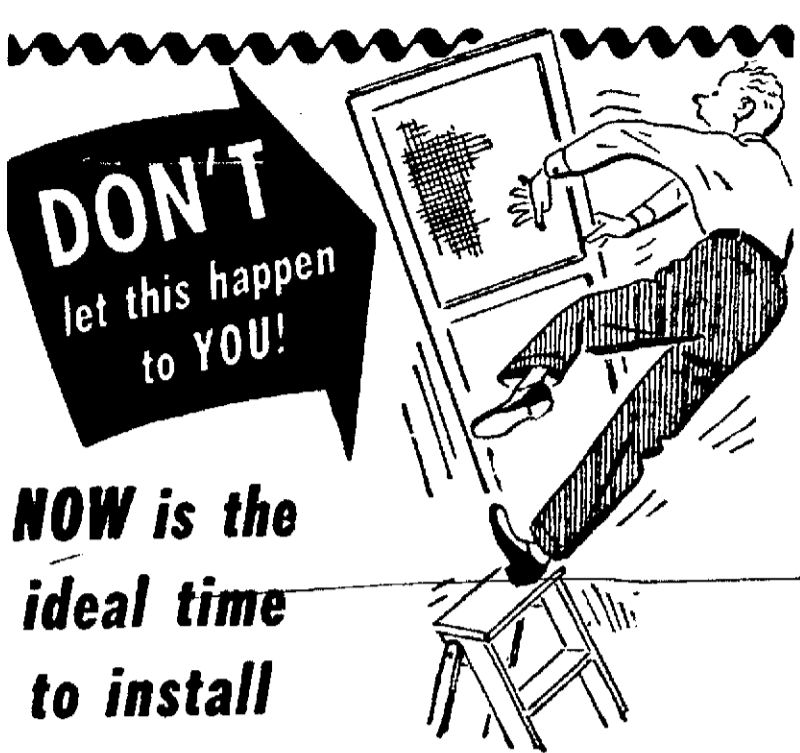
Weather permitting, a coating of oil will be put on Third street, between Johnson and Manatawny streets today, Borough Manager Dow I. Sears announced yesterday.

**TREATY RATIFIED**

LONDON, May 11 (AP) — The Moscow radio reported tonight that the Supreme Soviet of the USSR had ratified the Russo-Finish treaty signed in Moscow, April 6.



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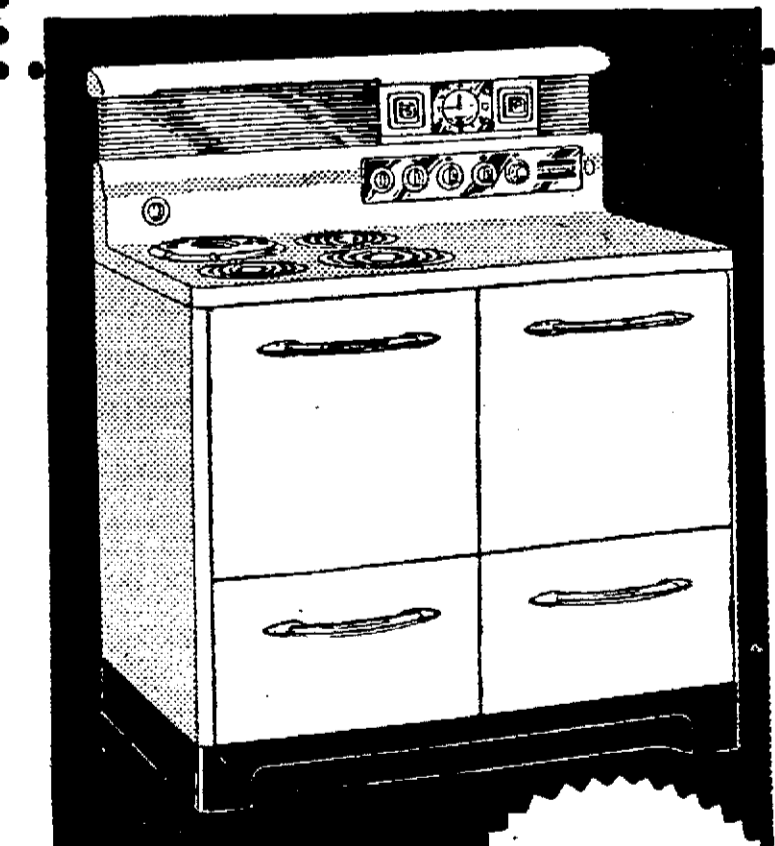
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More than \$1,250,000 already has been collected in the Philadelphia Presbytery for European relief and the restoration of Presbyterian churches in Europe, the Rev. Allen Drew, Ardmore, told ministers and elders of the Presbytery yesterday.

The Rev. Drew spoke at the monthly meeting of the group which was held in the First Presbyterian church.

Almost 200 men attended the session which lasted from 9:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. and dealt with the affairs of the Presbyterian church.

AN APPEAL FOR \$2,000,000 for the Presbyterian hospital of Philadelphia was made by the Rev. John T. Peters, pastor of the West Side Presbyterian church, Germantown. In addition, the group took action to adopt a plan to raise \$1,250,000.

to restore Silliman university in the Philippines as a memorial gift.

The meeting was presided over by the Rev. John B. Lindsay, moderator, while the Rev. James H. Guy, pastor of the Ridley Park Presbyterian church, conducted the devotional period at noon.

More than 150 members of the presbytery ate lunch at the YMCA. They heard an invocation by the Rev. Arthur H. Simpson, pastor emeritus of the First Presbyterian church.

Arrangements for the meal were made by the anniversary committee, Paul Morris, chairman. Mrs. William R. Barr was in charge of the dinner.

The Rev. A. Burtis Hallock Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, reported that greetings were exchanged between the Philadelphia Presbytery and the Philadelphia Synod of the Evangelical and Reformed church, which was meeting simultaneously at Trinity Reformed church.

When American Samoa switched from the Eastern to Western hemisphere calendar in 1902 it celebrated July 4 for two days.

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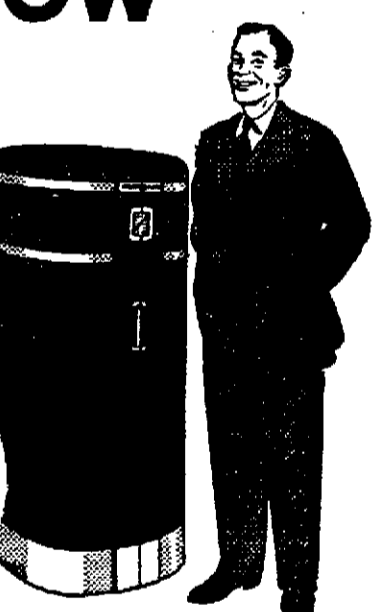
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## More Fire Alarm Boxes Renumbered by Borough

Progress is being made daily by Borough Electrician William H. Price in changing the numbering of fire alarm boxes.

Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer yesterday announced the following new numbers: Box 36, located at South and Charlotte streets, changed to 1513; Box 61, at Grant and Beech streets, changed to 1214.



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## Burgess Griffith to Speak At ABC Club Meeting

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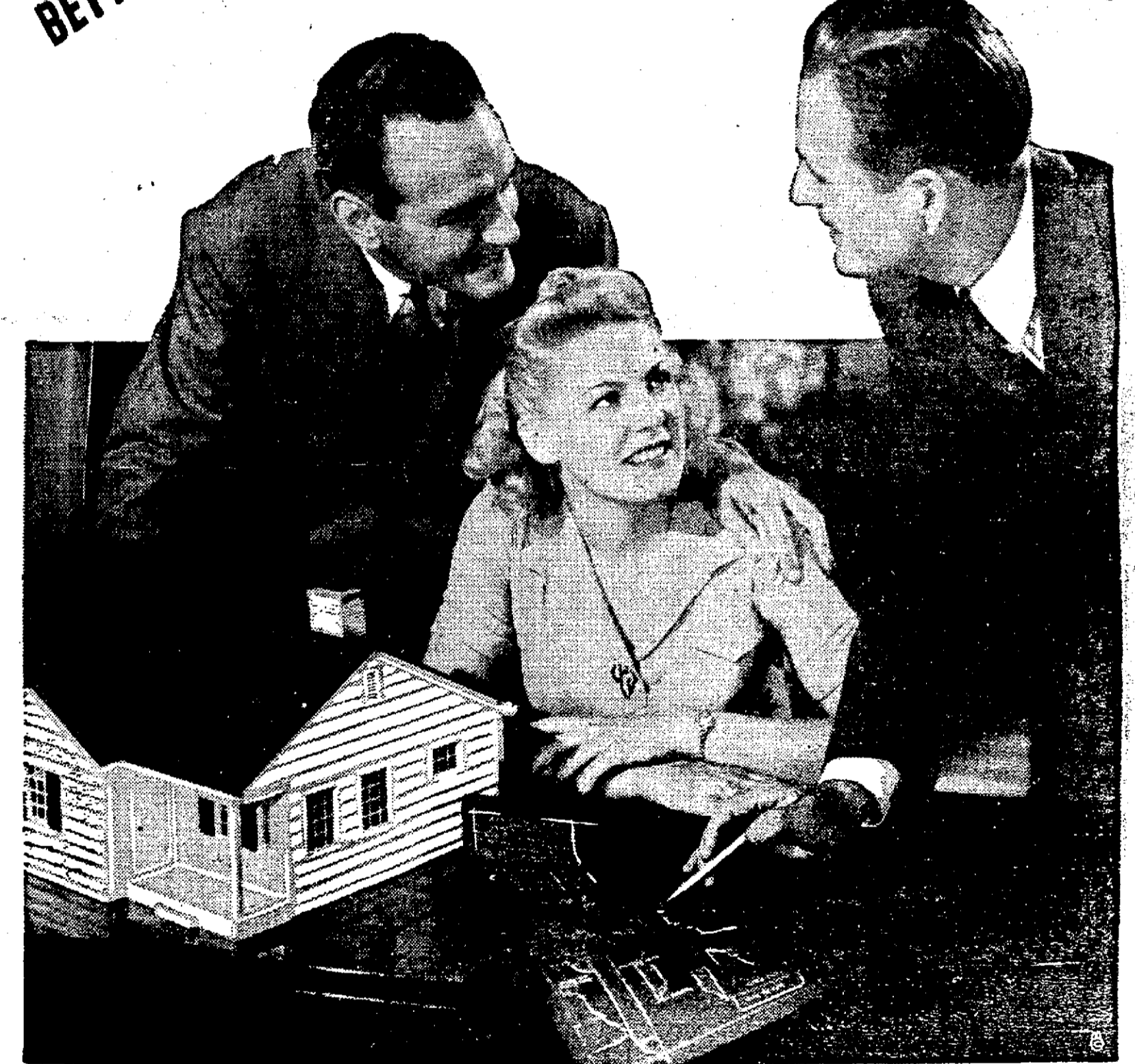
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**TWO DIE IN AIR CRASH**

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**Mistaken Identification For Church Official**

In a story on the YMCA extension division fund campaign which appeared in yesterday's Mercury, William D. Corum, a group chairman, inadvertently was listed as assistant pastor of the Second Baptist Church. Corum is an associate minister of the church.

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**ICC Trio to Inspect Scene of Rail Tragedy**

VALLEY FORGE, May 11 (AP) — Three investigators of the Interstate Commerce commission today visited the scene of a Reading railroad wreck in which two trainmen were killed.

The Reading company said the three — Harry Scott, Clyde Waldo and F. R. Cornell — will hold a hearing on the wreck at 10 a. m., tomorrow in the company's offices at Reading.

District Attorney E. Arnold Forrest said murder charges will be made against the person or persons responsible for the Sunday night wreck but investigators so far are without clues to their identity. The district attorney's office previously announced indications of tampering with the rails.

**Meeting Postponed By Airport Committee**

A meeting of the Citizens' Airport committee, scheduled to be held at noon yesterday, was postponed when Chairman Leon C. MacMullen was called out of town on business.

MacMullen said he would set a new date for the meeting on his return.

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# • AROUND THE WORLD THROUGH CAMERA'S EYE



William Lane, 39-year-old Negro, dangles from a ladder (left) in Baltimore, Md., after, police charged, he kicked Deputy Fire Chief Lorenz A. Dolle, 63, causing the fireman to plunge to the street. Dolle died a few hours later and Lane was charged with causing his death. In the center picture Lane is "preaching" from the ladder. At right he is shown with his brother and a policeman after reaching the ground.



Mrs. Mildred Bailey Carpenter, of St. Louis, sketches David N. Brito, disabled Navy veteran, at Brooke General hospital at San Antonio, Tex. She's one of a corps of volunteers assisting in Hospital Camp Shows activities.



The Navy fighting squadron VF17-A, based at Quonset Point, R. I., stages an impressive demonstration from the carrier USS Salpan of the speed and precision with which a squadron of jet-propelled fighter planes can operate from a flattop. It was the first time that a squadron of jets flew from a carrier as an operational unit. Top, a FH-1 "Phantom," with a speed in excess of 450 miles per hour and a range of more than 1000 miles, is shown taking off. Bottom, a "Phantom" comes in for a landing. Official U. S. Navy photo.



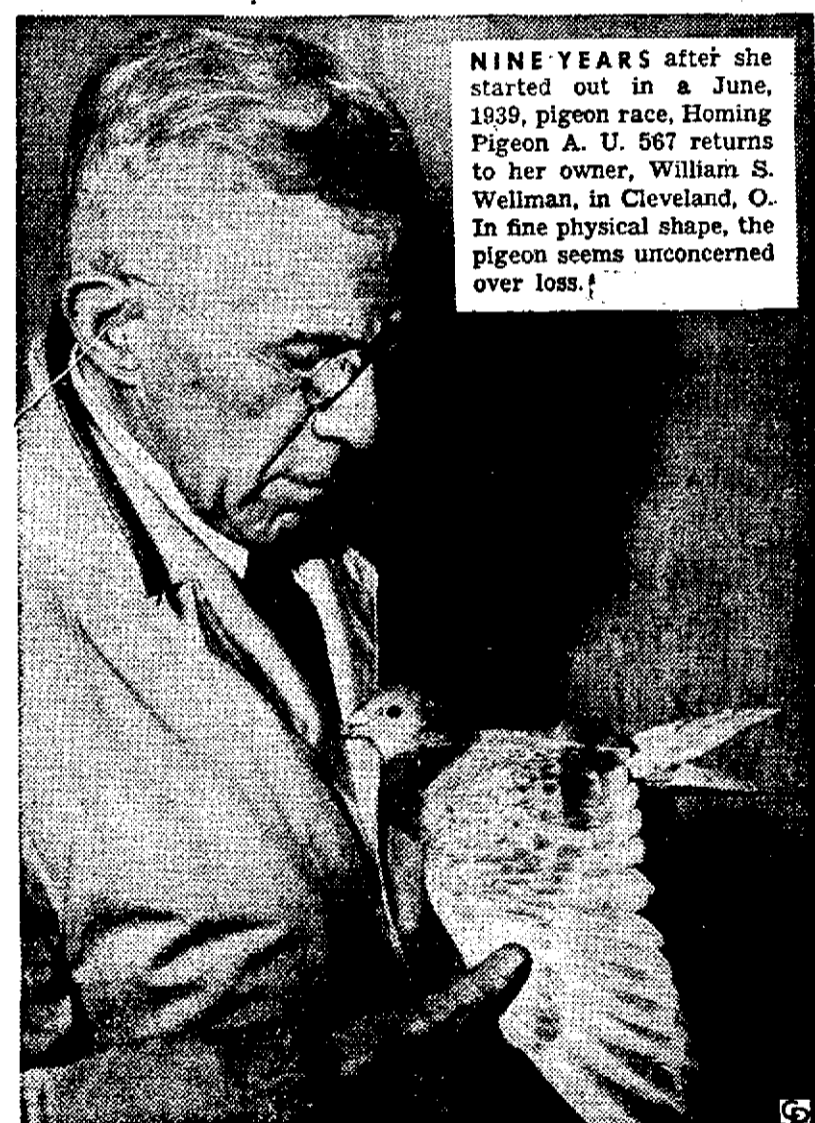
Born without feet, Mrs. Betty Lampe Hagglund looks with pride at her newborn baby, Valerie, in the Springfield, Ill., Memorial hospital. Mrs. Hagglund was working to help her widowed mother when her case was first called to the attention of the nation by newspaper stories. Contributions from sympathetic readers enabled her to be fitted with artificial legs so that she could walk and dance. It was then that she met and married William Hagglund of Chicago.



Checking their watches, as usual, following announcement of government seizure of the nation's rail lines, J. B. Reynolds (left), engineer, and Fireman J. T. Zero prepare to leave the Washington Union station. Shortly after President Truman's executive order, Maj. Gen. Edmond Levey was named Army chief of transportation. The New York Central canceled previous service curtailment orders.



In an effort to intimidate the voting public in Korea on the eve of their first democratic elections, Communist agitators in Seoul invaded the press-room of a rightist newspaper causing the shambles above. Two men were injured. Despite the terrorism, which resulted in 75 deaths, a heavy vote was cast.



NINE YEARS after she started out in a June, 1939, pigeon race, Homing Pigeon A. U. 567 returns to her owner, William S. Wellman, in Cleveland, O. In fine physical shape, the pigeon seems unconcerned over loss.



Jim Duckworth (left), 75-year-old Pearly King of Walworth, London; his wife (right), the Pearly Queen, and their daughter, Mrs. Alice Tolhurst (center) raise their mugs of beer to welcome King George VI and Queen Elizabeth to the Old Kent Road. The Pearlys are an informal group of cockney residents of London's East End.



A picket line was thrown around Cleveland's Park Lane Villa, swank residential hotel owned by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, as AFL building service employees struck to obtain a contract. The Brotherhood is one of three unions which has called a railroad strike.



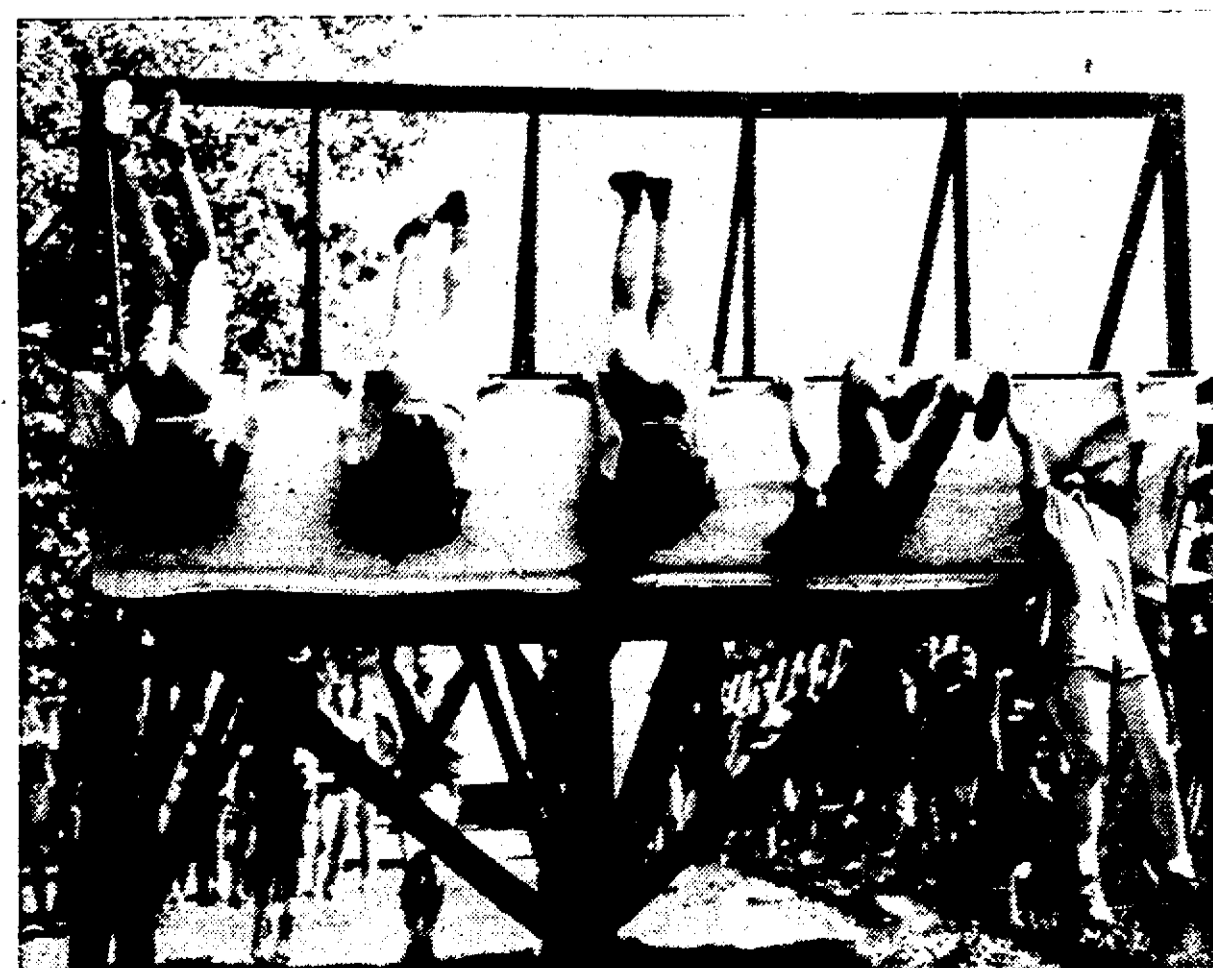
Alabama's Governor James E. (Kissing Jim) Folsom is shown with his 21-year-old bride, the former Jamelle Moore, at Panama City, Fla., where they are spending their honeymoon.



Radio master of ceremonies "Dud" Williamson, Los Angeles, must have suspected that death had tuned in on his last song for, in this remarkable photo, he had dropped his guitar in his lap and was feeling his pulse when a friend, Irving Manoir, snapped the picture. They had been talking about the sudden death of famous broadcaster Tom Breneman when Williamson remarked that he'd be "doing a Breneman" if he didn't get a rest. A moment later he fell dead.



Authorities at Florence, Italy, posted an advertisement (lower right) for the return of the head (picture at upper right) of the statue of "Primavera" (Spring). The head was last seen in mud of Arno river after wartime artillery duel between German and Italian partisans. Officials assume that someone took the head for a souvenir.



Plebes at the U. S. Naval Academy somersault through an obstacle on a half-mile course which must be run in four minutes, 15 seconds during first year at academy.



Walking alone in the funeral procession in Athens, King Paul of Greece is shown behind a car which follows the casket containing the body of the slain Minister of Justice, Christos Ladas. A state funeral was held for the Liberal Party leader who was murdered by a Communist as he entered his car. In his official capacity, Ladas had signed orders for execution of Reds convicted of terrorism.



At the National Institute of Health, Bethesda, Md., experiments are being conducted with folic acid in relation to cancer research and tropical sprue. The smaller chick (above) was given a diet containing no folic acid. The other received plenty of it.

## 800 View New Look in Woman's Fashions As Sixth Style Show Is Held in Ballroom

By EDITH M. SCHAEFFER  
(Mercury Society Editor)

As the fashion shows of Pottstown goes on and on, it becomes increasingly clear, that there isn't much use in pulling anything out of the chests that was worn last Summer, except perhaps to give it to a worthy cause somewhere or other, because it will not be stylish—not in Pottstown—not after so many styles as they have witnessed in the last two months.

The professional fashion show staged last night by the Junior auxiliary of the Pottstown hospital before an estimated audience of over 800 in the Sunnybrook ballroom, was a repeated fact that the "new look" which has been so discussed is definitely new, and there isn't much to do about it but get new duds.

EVEN A VERY artful tailor will not be able to do much about the situation, as even the colors are new. Stylists are arguing over the correct name for the same color, calling something that is a bit lighter than the old fashioned "beige," "sand," "light coffee," "natural," etc. And so it goes, light blue isn't light blue at all, it is "starlit blue" and what used to be mauve is no longer the shade of mauve but a different color entirely. Even by their name, you shall not know them.

The longer skirts, of course, are the biggest upset in the fashion scene, but next to that, will be the use of parasols to keep the complexion pink and white. This, for the girls who for the last decade have run races with each other trying to get the deepest tan. The next important new twist will be the use of gold. Gold shoes, gold bags, gold bracelets, gold hats, gold everything!

CATCHING THE EYES of the viewers of the fashion promenade last night, which was charmingly arranged against a background of cedar trees in front of which was placed a double row of fresh ivy, intertwined with roses and fresh ivy, which the models passed on their parade down a 30 foot, raised runway.

Apparently, from the amount of applause, the fashion numbers most pleasing to the audience were those in evening wear, the bell ringer being a midnight blue ensemble with wrapped hosiery and uneven hemline. The wrapped right portion of the skirt draped to a deep fold at the left hip. The tightly fitted bodice was held with looped neck, with which a jacket could be used for less formal wear. Stacks of shoes were worn of the same shade to tie it all together in thought.

THEN, TOO, THERE was a black marquisette featuring a skirt of extreme fullness with the help of dozens of tiny pleated tucks. From under the tightly-fitting, pleumpled jacket peeked the pale pink satin tugging of the full skirt. The jacket buttoned to the neck, while the sleeves were of bell fullness to the wrists.

Another eyecatcher was a white strapless, simply made with a high bow back. With this was worn gold accessories and gold sandals. High on the list, too, was a full ballerina skirt of black taffeta topped with a high-necked triple sheer blouse containing deep insets of lace.

In the evening styles it was evident that the new length will be the "chapel" ballerina or uneven hemline length. Not one gown was shown that tipped the floor as did the gowns of previous years.

WITH THE STREET dresses, the little lady will have full range as to style of skirt, bodice, sleeve length and color. Only the combinations are new. If she wants a tight skirt, she can have it. If she wants a full skirt it's there, too, and if she just likes a nice flare, that can be managed. But with the tight skirt she must have a loose-fitting bodice and three-quarter length sleeves, as one shown last night in a violet linen.

Or she could choose a full-backed skirt modified in the front and wear it with a Colonial waistline, as was a black and white print dress with tiny Quaker collar.

Taking the eye of nearly every woman in the audience was a chamber of radish color. The very full and long skirt was imprinted with huge radishes. The covered up look produced by a tiny short tightly fitted bolero that buttoned to a little Peter Pan collar, and with tight fitting long sleeves was a sham with the three inches of bare midriff gleaming through.

AS IN EACH previous fashion show in the borough suits of all types were in vogue. Suits in rough silk, linens, featherweight wool and both light weight and heavy weight cotton.

In the sport section producing the "meets" comment seemed to be a sliver of gold calico. The short full bloomers ended close to the hip line, and after a long exposure of bare middle, a high necked long sleeved bolero top completed the outfit.

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### Youngest Grad



Youngest graduating student in the Pottstown Senior High school class of 1948 is 16-year-old Elizabeth Scherer, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Paul C. Scherer, 1046 High street. An hour student, she is member of the Honor club and the PHS News staff. She plans to major in English at Ursinus college in the future.

### Jefferson PTA Board

#### Meets in Griffiths Home

It was announced that the "Summer roundup" of the Jefferson school will be held on May 28 at the schoolhouse by the members of the Jefferson PTA board when they met Monday night at the home of Mrs. George Griffiths, 306 Beech street.

The "roundup" will consist of pre-school children who are brought to the school for a physical examination prior to their entering first grade. A doctor will be at the school all day.

Mrs. Marie Montague, president, presided over the meeting, at which plans were also made for the annual ice cream festival to be held on the school grounds on June 3. Nomination of officers was held, and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Members present were Mrs. Helen Bleum, Mrs. Betty Sands, Mrs. Florence Christianman, Mrs. Marion Umstead, Mrs. Twila Swavely, Mrs. Stella Wagner, and Mrs. Florence Johnson and Miss Dora Boyer, both school representatives.

### Betrothal Announced

#### Of Miss Grace Thorum

The engagement of Miss Grace Louise Thorum, Spring City, to Mr. Robert C. Bauer, son of Mr. Robert P. Bauer, Spring City, was announced at a tea given by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Alma Alfonso Thorum at their home, 29 North Main street, Spring City.

Miss Thorum is employed at the West company as a secretary-technician. Mr. Bauer is engaged in the dry cleaning business in Royersford.

Mrs. William Russell Strayer, of Red Lion, sister to Mrs. Thorum, and Mrs. Roland G. Fry, of Hellam, poured.

Other guests attended from York, Phoenixville, Landsdale, Linfield, Parkersford, Pottstown and Spring City.

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### Carl Keiser Elected

#### New Chairman of Red Cross Branch

Carl J. Keiser was elected the new chairman of the Northern Branch of the Southeastern Pennsylvania chapter of the American Red Cross at the annual meeting in the Singer building Tuesday night.

The three vice chairmen elected from the three districts represented included the Rev. Joseph Shantz, Spring City; Mr. Samuel Pennypacker, Schwenksville, and Mrs. H. C. Bernhart, Pottstown. Mrs. John J. Sammons, Douglassville, was elected to the office of secretary, while Miss Jean W. Bassett, Pottstown, was named treasurer. All newly-elected officers were installed at the meeting.

Speaker for the meeting was Sgt. Francis Cousins, patient at the Valley Forge General Hospital, who related to the group the difficulties he and other boys had while they were prisoners of war in Germany. He stressed the importance to their very existence that the Red Cross parcels were which they received.

**MISS FLORENCE TUPPER**, recreational supervisor of the hospital, reported on progress being made at the hospital, stating that their plastic surgery service rendered there is considered the finest in the world.

The Red Cross has installed a new service at the hospital, that of providing guest rooms for relatives of critically ill patients. The relatives will be allowed to stay until the patient is out of danger and at no charge.

Chairman of the entertainment and instruction service is Mrs. Hugh McDevitt, who reported on the large number of games, cards, magazines etc., purchased for the Valley Forge, and the Coatesville hospitals.

**MR. CLARENCE YOCOM**, chairman of the First Aid committee, reported that 87 certificates had been issued for the Junior First Aid class at the Pottstown Senior High school as well as nine other certificates to other groups completing required courses. The home nursing committee chairman, Mrs. Iva Houch Shaner, who reported two classes in home nursing in the North Coventry High school and ten classes in the Pottstown Junior High school.

Activities of the volunteer special service revealed that 488 volunteers had spent a total of 10,199 hours in various work. It was also stated that a total of 23 Gray Ladies have signed up to take the special course at the Valley Forge hospital and since Oct. 20 had served a total of 987 hours.

**MRS. FRANK FREDERICKSON**, chairman of the production service, announced that a total of 129 garments were completed, mostly for distribution over seas.

Mr. Keiser, of the Pottstown Junior Chamber of Commerce, was chairman of the recent fund drive and reported that Royersford, Perkiomen, Spring City and Pottstown had contributed a total of \$28,270.65 or 94.2 percent of the total of the quota.

A new service, was added to the chapter, that of a speaker's bureau, of which Mrs. J. Robert Gray will be chairman. The object of the bureau is to provide speakers for any type of organization or dinner at no charge.

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### YOUR BIRTHDAY

#### ANNIVERSARIES

**TODAY'S HOROSCOPE**  
Attend to your regular routine tasks right now, and also try to do something creative. In your next 12 months be careful in romantic matters. Do not exchange the sold for the dress, and watch expenditures.

**Today**  
Donald Ross White, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. White, 1221 South street.

Betty Young, 558 Walnut street.

Michael Penta Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Penta, Linfield, aged one year.

Stuart Reppert, son of Mr. Alan Reppert, Douglassville RD 2.

Alice May Bonta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Bonta, 267 Chestnut street.

Jesse Ludy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ludy, 122 Beech street.

Floyd Linthicum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Linthicum, 780 1/2 Lincoln avenue.

Marian E. Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collins, 45 East Main street, South Pottstown.

James R. Orandosh, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Orandosh, 22 West Main street, South Pottstown.

Frances Feight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Feight, Boyertown RD 2.

Alfred O'Neill Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred O'Neill, 845 North Charlotte street.

Colleen O'Neill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. O'Neill, 845 North Charlotte street.

Judith Levan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Levan, 23 Boone court, Penn. Village, aged nine years.

Michael Buchholz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buchholz, Pottstown RD 3, aged three years.

Mrs. Emma DeLong, Perkiomen RD 1.

Barbara Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed, 895 South street, aged five years.

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### Music Authority



Miss Janet Tobitt (above), of New York City, a well known authority on music, folk dances and games, addressed members of the Girl Scout council, leaders and committee members Tuesday night at a meeting held in the YMCA gym.

**LEADERS ATTENDING WERE:** Misses Charlotte Anderson, Mildred Geist, LaRue Bickel, Eleanor Land and Alberta Waddell; as well as the Mesdames Jane Hospader, Amanda Rogers, L. M. Shellenberger, Opal Haury, Elizabeth K. Hanna, C. S. Leventhal, H. T. Schneider, H. Melvin Unneberg, Marion White, Howard Swavely, Dorothy John, Francis Banks and William Corum.

Council members and troop committee members attending were: Mrs. Dorothy O. Miller, Mrs. V. Lohr, Mrs. John Brown, Mrs. Vernon Rapp, Mrs. Vincent Gounin Jr., Mrs. Sidney Pollock, Mrs. Albert Neyses, Mrs. Anna K. Santis, Mrs. Edward Hughes, Mrs. Edward Pennypacker, Mrs. Floyd Edris, Mrs. John Swaisford, Miss Helen V. Purcell, Miss Dorothy O. Yohn, Mrs. Adam Saylor, Mrs. Minnie Sutton, Mrs. Ralph H. Spare Jr., and Mrs. Harry Guest.

**SCOUT LEADERS** and committee members from Berks county included Mrs. Charles Siegfried, and Miss Shirley Kulp. Pine Forge; the Misses Elma E. Mauger and Sonja Martin from Gilbertsville; Mrs. Mary Schoenly, Mrs. Sarah Wolfgang, Mrs. Mary Emery, Mrs. Templeton Blair, Mrs. Warren S. Eberly, Mrs. Verma Seifert, Mrs. Joseph A. Waldeman, Mrs. Robert E. Heitzinger, and Mrs. Edwin H. Emeny, from upper Perkiomen valley council; Mrs. William Fillman, and Miss Jane Zepp.

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The songs and dances the leaders learned were of the folk variety including those of foreign lands as well as Indian, Negro and Southern numbers from America. In teaching the novelties to the leaders, Miss Tobitt stressed that it is an important part of a leaders training to know of the songs and dances of other lands, making for an international friendliness.

The advantage of the music to a child is unbounded, she added, saying that a very shy child will lose his shyness in trying to follow the intricate steps of a dance, or in learning the words of a song.

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# Woman's Club Members Hear Educator Talk on Timely Subject in Library Hall

"Civilization is standing beside us, tomorrow, you had better prepare for it, and prepare for it well," declared Dr. William L. Fink, head of the department of education at Kutztown State Teachers' college, last night when he spoke before the Pottstown Woman's club in Library hall.

Dr. Fink continued by asking, "Shall our generation be a lucky one, or shall it be the last generation? The out-come depends on how we prepare for our assignment."

He explained that the world has shrunk. Oceans and mountains are not barriers any longer, and no one spot in the world is more than 38 hours distant from another. He illustrated by telling the women that it took Washington two weeks to journey from Boston to New York, and today that same trip is made in 55 minutes every day and every hour.

ANOTHER "assignment" is to consider the fact that man has snatched from the Universe atomic energy. Dr. Fink asked the question, "Will man use it constructively or destructively? How he will use it is for him to decide."

"The development of your sense of values also is part of the assignment. If you value power, money and useless knowledge, the battle is lost. The things you should value are the intrinsic things, namely: love, gratitude, sympathy and kindness," he continued.

The interesting speaker also stressed the attitude that should be taken toward personality, by using Helen Keller and George Washington Carver as examples. The fact that Miss Keller is a mute, and the fact that Carver was a Negro did not stop them from becoming famous, because people overlooked their outer personality. "You must look deep to see what a person is really worth, and you must learn to respect personality," Dr. Fink declared.

HE CONCLUDED by expressing the belief that you must not do a day's work simply for the day's wages, but do the work because you feel that it may help someone or something.

"Live in the presence of great ideals, and you will become like them," he concluded.

Miss Florence A. Erb, president, was in charge of the meeting at which it was announced that a reciprocity luncheon will be held on Saturday, and the local club will entertain the county officers and presidents of clubs in the county.

Annual reports were given by the chairman of the Red Cross, hospital, Grey Ladies, library, and activities committees.

Mrs. Robert Frederick and Miss Erb reported on the 51 state convention that they had attended in Harrisburg, and Mrs. D. H. Klink reported on the county convention held in Narbeth. A report was also heard from the auditing committee women, Mrs. Ephraim Keller, Mrs. Lloyd Koehler and Miss Rebekah Hemelright.

Mrs. Harry Wilson, a former member, was welcomed back to Pottstown and presented with a membership.

## Annual Ball to Be Held By Junior Class of West Pottsgrove High

"Stairway to the Stars" is the romantic title selected by the Junior class of West Pottsgrove high school for its annual semi-formal ball to be held tomorrow night at 9 o'clock.

Students are waiting breathlessly for the surprise decorations which are now being assembled by the decorations committee under the direction of Isabelle DeNico, chairman. Participants in the event are expecting gala surroundings to fit the title.

Dancing will be continued until midnight with Ray Carr's orchestra furnishing the music. A buffet luncheon will be served at intermission.

Assisting with the decorations are Jack Hampton, Joseph Cieri, Joseph Dori, George Birard, Freda DGiaccio, Beverly Fazekas and Shirley Bush. Peggy Schneider is chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by Jeanne Pickar, Sarah Jane Kappenstein, Grace Baro, while Joseph Capaldi is chairman of the publicity committee.

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# Century Club to Hold Closing Luncheon Today

The closing luncheon of the Century club will be held today at 12:30 in the YMCA at which time Catharine Miller Balm, doll specialist, will take the club members on a tour "Around the World in a Doll House."

Arrangements for the affair are in charge of the hospitality committee. Mrs. Paul Z. Hoffman, chairman; Mrs. Clarence W. Davenport, co-chairman. Assisting will be Mrs. Daniel B. Boyer, Mrs. Harry W. Buchert, Mrs. Harold Cadmus, Mrs. Lottie Dierolf, Mrs. C. Raymond Eppelimer, Mrs. B. Frank Hafer, Mrs. C. W. Hancock, Mrs. C. Fred Herbsleb, Mrs. William B. Keely, Mrs. J. Wayne Knause, Mrs. Hermann Maack Jr., Mrs. Minor M. Ressel, Mrs. Russell H. Shelly, Mrs. Robert W. Spotts and Mrs. Thomas F. Storm.

## Social Calendar

Senior Missionary Society of Transfiguration Lutheran church — Meeting tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the church. Mrs. Harrison Wesner will present the topic.

Lady Wittenmyer Lodge — Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows hall.

Lady Reindeer Drill team—tonight at 8:45 o'clock in the IO of A building.

Lady Reindeer—Regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the IO of A building.

Century Club—Luncheon today at 12:30 o'clock in the YMCA.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lafferty, Spring City, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rhoads, Bechtelsville, became the parents of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hahn, 364 North York street, yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pier-sol, 66 Cedar street, are being congratulated on the birth of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Yesterday a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Verne Bergeron, 803 Spruce street, in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Slay-baugh, Royersford, announce the birth of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Heydt, Bechtelsville, yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cassidy, Schwenksville RD 1, became the parents of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

# Senior Girl Pupils Hold Banquet in West Pottsgrove HS

"It may rain, it may hail, but our mothers never fail. It may snow, it may sleet, but our daughters can't be beat," was the slogan printed on the umbrellas carried by a mother and her daughter which were painted on the programs at the annual mother and daughter banquet held on Monday night by the Senior girls of the West Pottsgrove high school home economics department.

Each daughter presented her mother with a corsage of red and white carnations and small plastic umbrellas as favors which the girls made. White table linen draped to the floor, was decorated with

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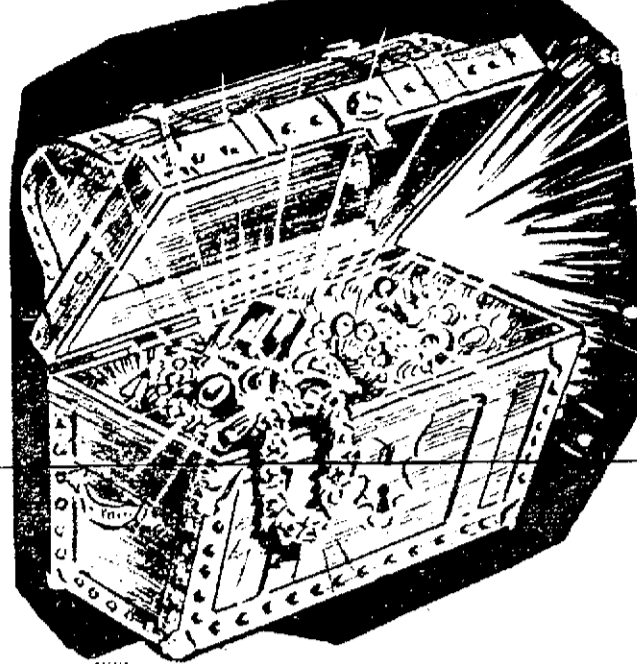
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small flowers forming the letter "M" for mother.

Under the direction of Mrs. Evelyn M. Thompson, home economics teacher, the dinner was served by the following: Barbara Groover, Mary Ann Brand, Laura Axenath, Kathleen Boyer, Marlene Matz, Marion Kupp, Leona Ravan, and Anna DeMarco.

THE INVOCATION was led by Mrs. Grace Kirkoff, toastmistress. Mrs. Virginia Kuip welcomed the mothers, while Mrs. Lawrence Bodding responded for the mothers.

A humorous monologue, "A Dull-ful Daughter," was recited by Mrs. Gloria Francis. Two short movies, daughter, Mary, Mrs. Perry Dietrick



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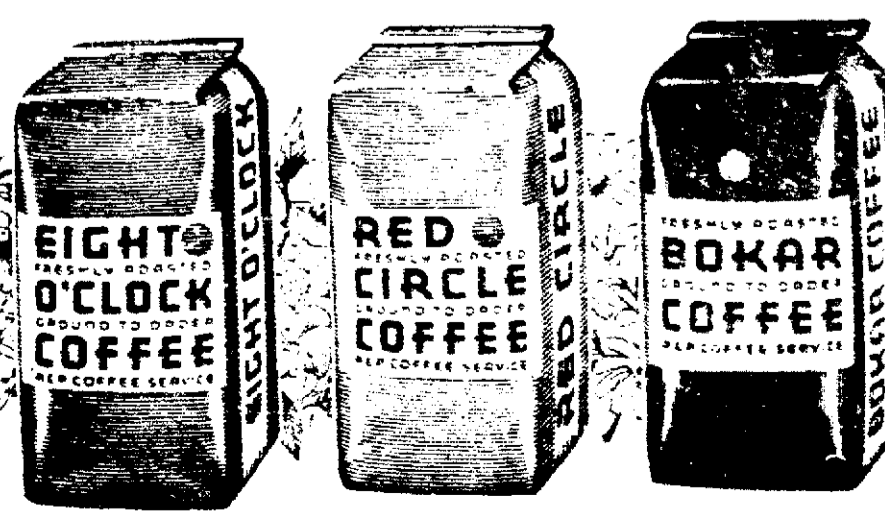
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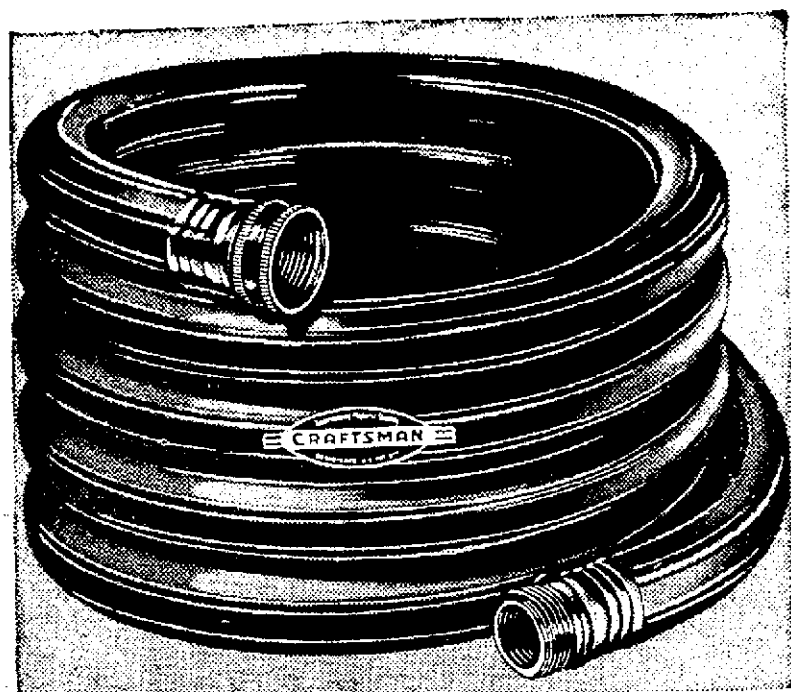
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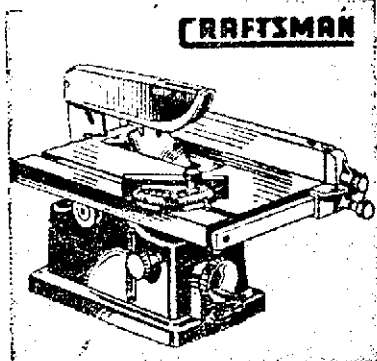
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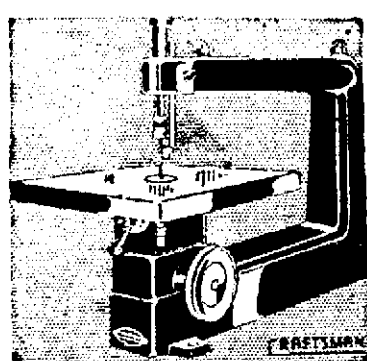
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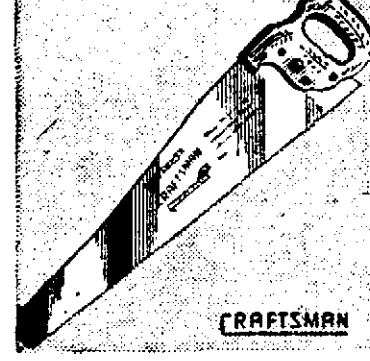
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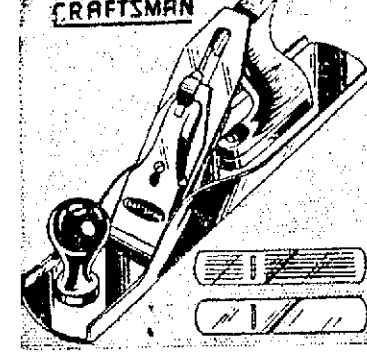
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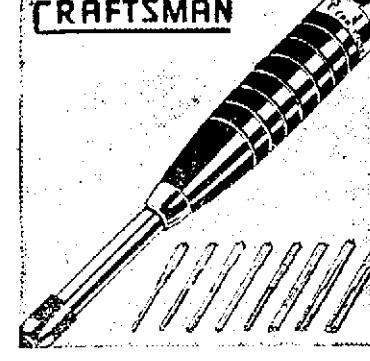
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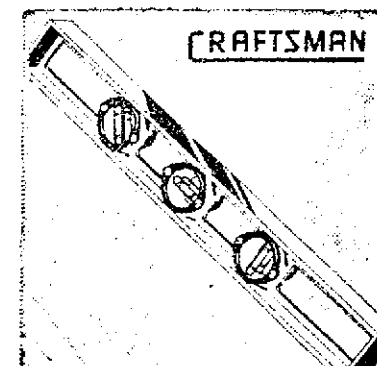
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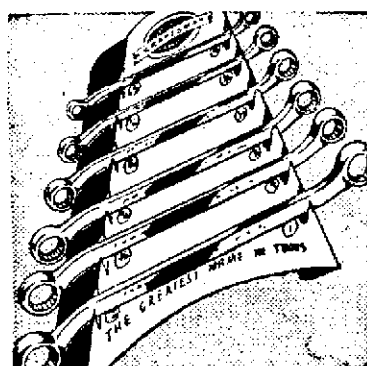
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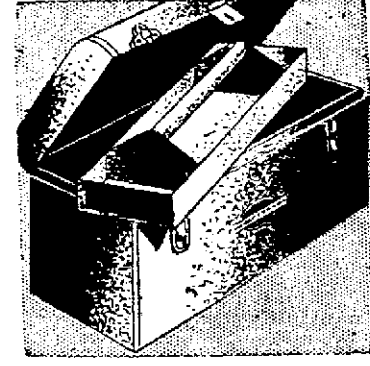
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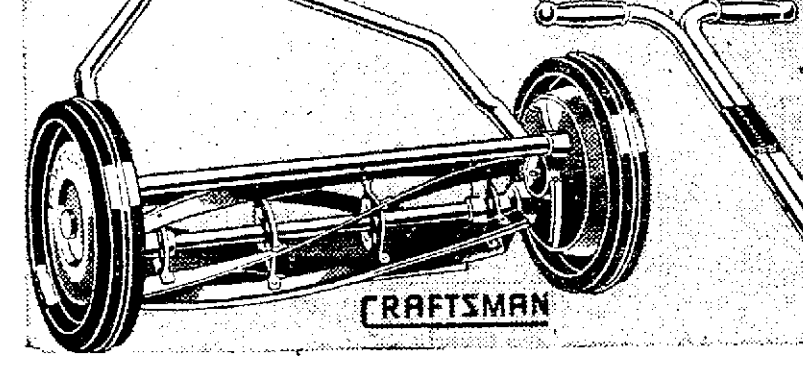
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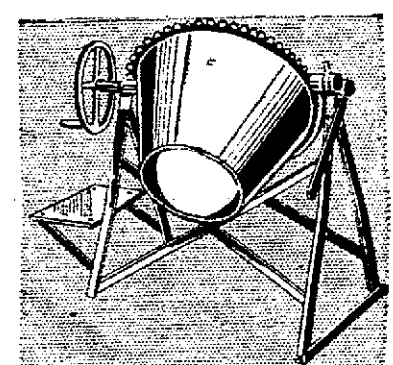
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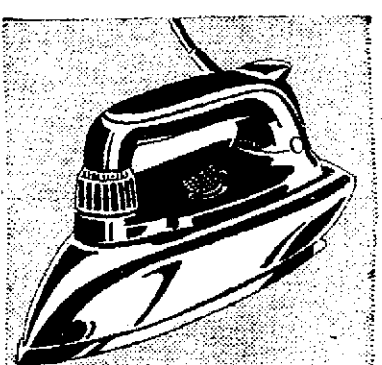
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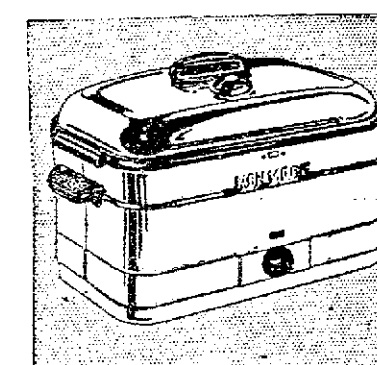
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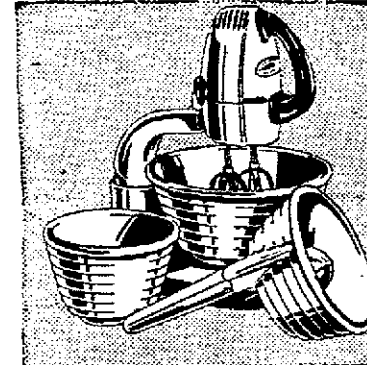
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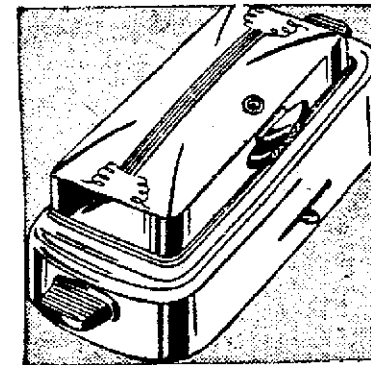
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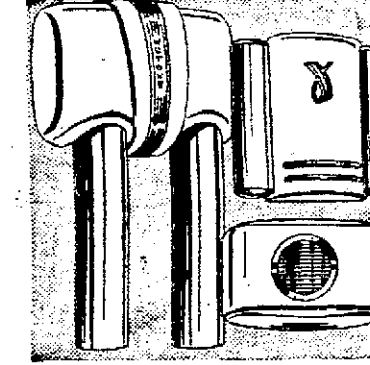
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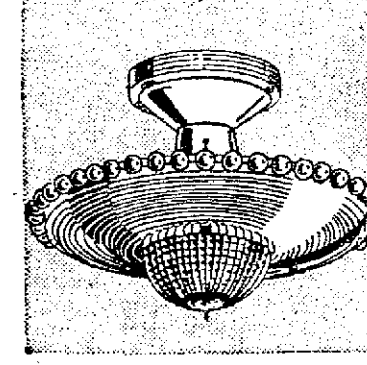
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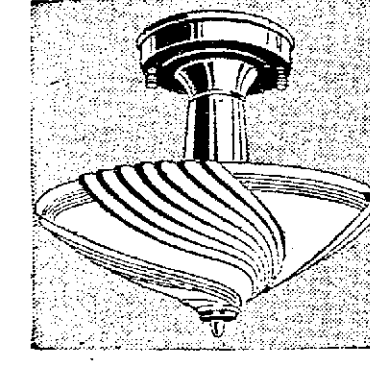
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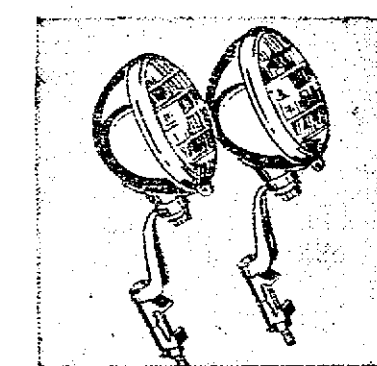


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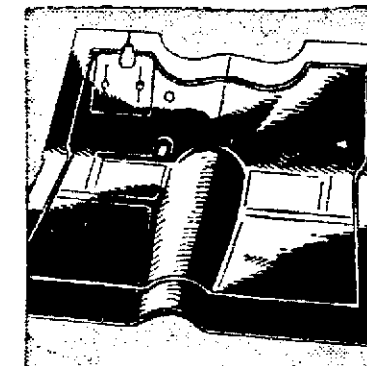
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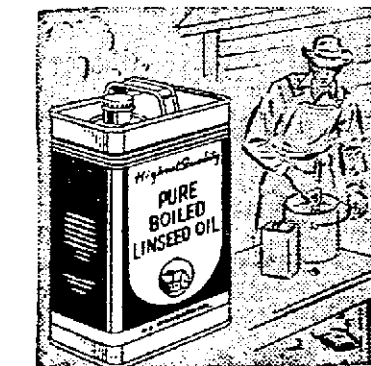
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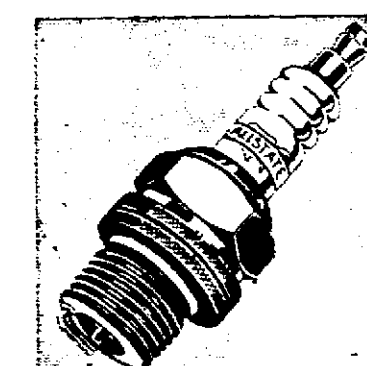
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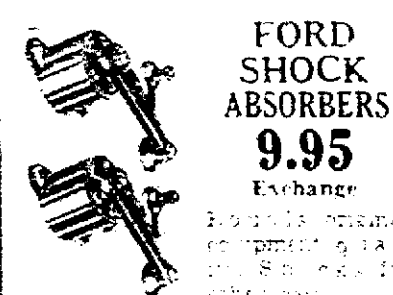
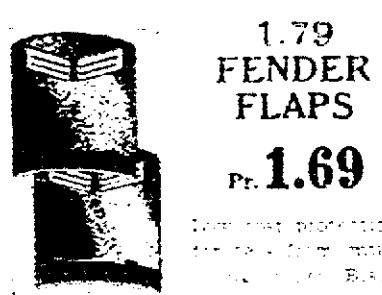
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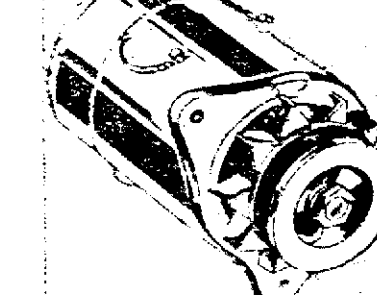
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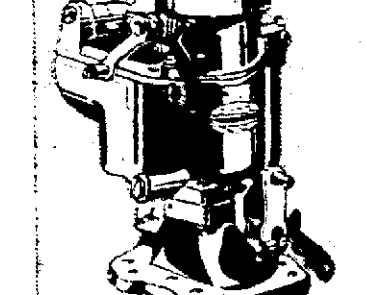
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# U. S. to Stress Defense Pacts With U. N. Nations

WASHINGTON, May 11 (AP)—A proposed new American policy stressing regional defense pacts within the United Nations as a main reliance for security was announced today on Capitol Hill.

Chairman Vandenberg (R-Mich) disclosed that the foreign relations committee—with the advice and consent of the State department—will complete a "working paper" resolution tomorrow outlining this government's objectives in the U. N.

It is a "resolution of advice" to President Truman in the pursuit of foreign policy, the climax of weeks of work by the committee. It is designed for approval by the full Senate.

Its chief objectives are:

1. Regional self-defense pacts in which the United States would join on a basis of "self-help and mutual aid."

2. Voluntary agreement to eliminate the U. N. veto on all questions involving peaceful settlement of international disputes, and from admission of new members.

The preliminary draft of the resolution was submitted to the committee by Vandenberg. It had the approval of Undersecretary of State Robert Lovett.

His disclosure apparently furnished the detailed explanations heretofore lacking for a recent secret conference of Lovett, Vandenberg and John Foster Dulles, a chief non-government foreign policy spokesman for the Republican party.

"The resolution emphasizes the great possibilities of a new and effective security program through regional arrangements," Vandenberg told reporters.

IT IS understood that under the plan to be followed nations which wish to join in regional defense alliances must initiate their own programs.

The American position, as in the case of the economic recovery program, will be supplementary—with this country "constantly reserving freedom of action."

Violence in South Korea Windles After Election

SEOUL, May 11 (AP)—The violence and sabotage that preceded South Korea's independence election all but flickered out today as the counting of ballots proceeded slowly.

Korean officials were confident the United Nations commission would approve the elections. They pointed out nearly 7,000,000 of the 8,000,000 Koreans eligible voted Monday despite terrorist attacks.

The commission was sent here to observe the voting which the U. N. itself ordered.

THE DRAFT BILL was approved 7 to 2 by the Senate armed services committee.

This is how the committee draft bill was finally worked out after weeks of hearings and study:

Men 19 through 25 would be subject to the draft, and serve two years in the armed forces.

Men 18 through 25 and medical men through 45 would have to register.

Youths 18 years old may volunteer for a one year training program, but they do not have to. The bill provides for training 360,000 of the 18-year-olds, who then would not be subject to the draft, but be held in a reserve pool.

Earl Long Inaugurated As Louisiana Governor

BATON ROUGE, La., May 11 (AP)—Earl Kemp Long became governor of Louisiana today with a thrice and a program made famous by his late brother, Sen. Huey P. Long.

The phrase, "Every Man a King" highlighted the new governor's inaugural speech to the crowds in the huge Louisiana State university stadium, there to witness the triumph of the Long family and faction after eight years in political shadow.

ACCEPT LEWIS PROPOSAL

WILKES-BARRE, May 11 (AP)—Acceptance of John L. Lewis' proposal to open contract negotiations May 20 was announced this afternoon by anthracite operators following a meeting at Anthracite Institute, Old River road.

FOOD FOR CHINA

WASHINGTON, May 11 (AP)—The Economic Co-operation administration tonight authorized the purchase of \$36,500,000 worth of food stuffs and other commodities as gifts to China under the foreign aid act.

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## Soviet Delegate to U. N. Talks Freely of New Move

LAKE SUCCESS, May 11 (AP)—United Nations delegates were cautious today in judging prospects for improved Russian-American relations.

Their attitude generally was let's wait and see.

Russian delegates, however, were willing to talk about relations between the two big powers. They said Russia wanted to improve and strengthen ties with other countries, including the U. S.

This was in contrast to their attitude in recent months. They have been diplomatically correct but cool and aloof. Today they apparently were primed for comment.

The ranking spokesman for Russia at the U. N. headquarters was Alexander S. Panyushkin, Soviet ambassador to Washington.

Panyushkin was seated in the delegates' lounge when reporters asked for his views on the exchange of notes between Washington and Moscow.

HE KNOWS ENOUGH English to say "no comment" but this time he arose, called a waiting interpreter to his side, and said:

"It is too early to comment on the notes because the texts have not been published yet.

"The Soviet Union always desires to strengthen and better relations with other countries.

"The foreign policy of the Soviet Union is a peaceful policy. In this light we must consider all agreements concluded by the Soviet Union."

PRESIDENT HEARS CONCERT

WASHINGTON, May 11 (AP)—President Truman drove Constitution Hall to attend a concert by Sigmund Romberg and his concert orchestra.

300 WORKERS STRIKE

ST. MARY'S, W. Va., May 11 (AP)—A strike of 300 workers halted most operations today at the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company's Columbia chemical division at Natrium.

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# Zionist Forces Claim Capture Of Arab Base Near Jerusalem

JERUSALEM, May 11 (AP)—The Jewish army said today its fighters had captured Beit Mahsur, a main base for Arab forces in the battle for control of the vital Jerusalem-Tel Aviv highway.

The Arabs launched a counter-attack in Bab El Wad gorge, through which the highway winds. Beit Mahsur is near Bab El Wad, scene of repeated bloody Arab-Jewish clashes.

(An Arab army communique issued in Damascus said Arab fighters had surrounded 4000 Jewish soldiers at Bab El Wad and had them under artillery fire. "All Jewish attacks directed toward releasing them have been unsuccessful," the communique added.

(The communique said Jewish forces with armored cars had captured two Arab villages and penetrated Arra, west of Tulkarm, a main Arab stronghold. A counter-attack resulted in recapture of the territory, the bulletin said.)

British police in Haifa reported that the Jews had set siege to Beisan, a few miles south of Galilee and a strong-point astride communications to Jewish settlements farther north. Safad, 35 miles north of Beisan and only seven miles from the Syrian and Lebanese frontiers, has already fallen to the Jews.

Haganah announced in Tel Aviv the capture of Beit Mahsur. The counterattack at Bab El Wad 10 miles west of Jerusalem was under the personal direction of the bandaged Iraqi Col. Mohamed Mahdi Bey, chief of the first division of the Arab volunteer army in Palestine.

HE SAID artillery was being wheeled up over the mountains to shell Jewish positions and strong Arab infantry forces were being moved into the area.

Haganah informants in Jerusalem said fighting was still in progress at Bab El Wad and is "progressing satisfactorily."

Haganah said it opened the road yesterday for the first time in three weeks. No convoys travelled the route because of the fighting still raging in the surrounding hills, a Jewish agency source said. A previous statement of convoy movement was "premature and unauthorized," this source added.

EINAUDI'S ELECTION came on the fourth ballot at a joint session of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies. He received 518 votes, 67 more than the required 451 majority.

Of 871 votes cast, 320 went to the aged Vittorio Emanuele Orlando, World War premier who was a candidate supported by the Communist-led Popular Front.

A scattering of the vote went to foreign minister Carlo Sforza.

Italian Parliament Names Luigi Einaudi As First President

ROME, May 11 (AP)—Parliament elected tonight as first president of the Italian republic 74-year-old Luigi Einaudi, a banker.

Einaudi, vice premier in the government of Premier Alcide De Gasperi and director of the budget, is an opponent of Communism. He accepted the post with these words:

"I can only reply with an old phrase 'vox populi.' Parliament is the voice of the people. The voice of the people is the voice of God. Let God's will be accomplished."

His term is for seven years. He will designate a premier to form a cabinet which must be approved by parliament. De Gasperi is virtually certain to be his choice.

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# Rail Dispute Remains Unsettled; Unions Ask Army to Help in Fight

WASHINGTON, May 11 (AP)—The railroad highballed as usual today but the rail labor dispute, snatched from the strike stage in the nick of time, remained unsettled.

Heads of the three unions involved paid a 20-minute call on Army Secretary Kenneth Royall, bent on seeking a settlement now that the rail system is under government control by President Truman's order.

Afterward, they said Royall told them he hasn't authority yet to deal with them but "will get in touch with us" again in a few days.

Secretary Royall told reporters earlier the Army was not disposed to enter negotiations with the unions for the time being.

Royall said he was choosing a union-management committee to advise him. Possibly this group could help toward a settlement. It was learned the group may have three members, one representing labor, one management, and the third the public.

Murray Urges Steelworkers to Fight Labor Law

BOSTON, May 11 (AP)—A CIO steelworkers' delegate asked today why his union refuses to comply with the non-Communist pledge in the Taft-Hartley act. President Philip Murray told him the union stand wasn't final and the convention would decide it.

Delegates stood up to applaud when Murray added:

"I'm going to recommend to this convention, whether you comply or not, that you expend your moneys to fight this in the Federal courts."

Murray was referring to the union's contention that the Taft-Hartley act is unconstitutional in its requirement of non-Communist affidavits by union officers and to a court test case the union is seeking.

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Answer: All five of them... even the one with the frown. Of course, they are too young to appreciate their parents' foresight, but they will later on. Before you are another day older, start saving.

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## Judge Hess to Speak At Memorial Day Services in Borough

Judge Warren K. Hess, of Berks county court, will be speaker at the annual Memorial Day services scheduled to be held in Boyertown on Monday morning, May 31.

Preceding the Boyertown service, members of Charles B. Yerger Post 471, American Legion, will conduct services Sunday, May 30, at Hill church. Huff's church and Bally, it was stated at a recent meeting.

Also announced at the meeting was continuation of the Junior baseball team, with the first game scheduled to be played at Copley on June 12 and the first home game arranged for June 16 with Coopersburg on the high school field. Practice will be called in the near future.

**NEW MEMBERS** admitted to the Boyertown post are Lawrence I. Hausman, 705 East Philadelphia avenue; Ralph Fisher, Boyertown RD 2; Bettye C. Hafer, Boyertown RD 2; Paul Stetler, 155 South Washington street; James R. Frey, Gilbertsville; Grant Weidner, Boyertown RD 2 and Charles Weller, Boyertown RD 1.

The post vote a \$25 donation to the YMCA maintenance fund drive. Several members will attend a joint meeting of Berks County Interpost association and auxiliaries on May 24, at 8 p. m. at Post 625, Fleetwood.

## PERSONALS

Judith Ann Groff, eight-months old daughter of Police Chief and Mrs. Henry E. Groff, 641 East Philadelphia avenue, is a medical patient at Reading hospital. She was taken there the past Monday morning and is now under supervision of Dr. Herman Kotzen, Reading physician.

Phyllis Jane Specht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Specht, 24 East Fourth street, will observe her eighth birthday anniversary today.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Stauffer, 32 West Philadelphia avenue, attended sessions of the Pennsylvania Master Plumbers convention in Erie.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

Among marriage licenses recently applied for in Reading is that of Clarence S. Dottler, Gilbertsville, and Helen W. Butler, Boyertown.

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## Mary Schaeffer, Reading Man Wed In Lutheran Church

Mary Jane Schaeffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Schaeffer Sr., 519 East Fourth street, Boyertown, became the bride of Sgt. Warren E. Paul, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Paul, Reading, the past Sunday at 2 p. m. in St. Joseph's Evangelical Lutheran (Hill) church.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Luther Lee Lengel, pastor, following which the bride and groom took Holy Communion.

Maid of honor was Thelma Reichert, and Howard J. Schaeffer Jr., a brother of the bride, was best man. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a dress of cream marquisette brocade with a net, a full skirt with a long train. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a tiara of seed pearls. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of white roses, lilies and baby breath. Ushers were Lester Guldin and Irvin Trout.

MISS REICHERT, maid of honor, wore a dress fashioned along the same lines as the bride's but of blue material. She wore a halo-type headpiece and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The bride's mother chose a two-piece aqua dress with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow roses, while the groom's mother wore a print dress with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Mrs. Mayetta Loeb, of Oley RD, a friend of the bride, presented a brief recital of organ music preceding the ceremony. She played "O Promise Me," "I Love You Truly" and the wedding march. During the ceremony and as the bride and groom partook of Holy Communion, Mrs. Loeb played "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." The altar was decorated with seasonal flowers and candles.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in IOOF hall, Boyertown. The newlyweds will be at home in Annapolis, Md. where Sgt. Paul is stationed with the Marine Corps.

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## DEATHS - FUNERALS

Funeral services for CLARA J. HENRY, of 132 EAST PHILADELPHIA AVENUE, BOYERTOWN, were held yesterday at 1:30 p. m. from a Warwick street funeral home in Boyertown.

The Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, officiated. Interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown.

Bearers were Samuel L. Henry, George W. McKee, Walter R. LeFevre, G. F. Young and Harvey G. Grofe.

## Kenneth Schollenberger Cited by National Group

Kenneth A. Schollenberger, of New Berlinville, has been granted a junior membership by the Holstein-Frisian association of America, it was announced by the extension service of the organization.

The award was presented for satisfactory work in Holstein calf clubs during the past year. Schollenberger is the 9136th member of the association.

## Lester K. Fryer Buys Ex-Dairy Firm Building

Lester K. Fryer, beverage distributor now located on South Chestnut street, has purchased the former Montg-Berk Dairy company building at the corner of South Washington and Third streets and is now renovating the structure. Fryer has spent the past few days at a convention in Atlantic City, N. J.

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## Six New Members Join Woman's Club; Contributions Made

Six new members were admitted to the Woman's Club of Boyertown at the group's monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in Boyer Towne inn.

They were Mrs. Donald Caldwell, Mrs. Edwin K. Ownbey, Mrs. Grace K. Bennett, Mrs. Francis J. Brady, Mrs. Paul E. Hartman and Mrs. John Graver.

The club approved donations of \$25 to the Boyertown YMCA movement and \$10 to the Berks County Cancer society.

MRS. BERTHA WIEGNER, and daughter, Betty, of East Groesville, played marimba duets and piano numbers as the main program feature.

Mrs. Frank Pitts, chairman of the music division, was in charge. Mrs. L. Ralph March, president, presided at the business meeting.

The American Home division and the Welfare division will sponsor a foods and laundry demonstration at Metropolitan Edison company, Reading, on Tuesday. The group will leave Boyer Towne inn at 1 p. m.

Mrs. Isaac Y. Stauffer, chairman of art division, announced the June meeting would be held in the form of a flower show at IOOF hall, East Philadelphia avenue, on Tuesday, June 8, at 2 p. m.

It also was announced the literature and drama divisions will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Gable, Colebrookdale, on Tuesday, May 25, at 2 p. m.

A musical tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Samuel R. Knouse,

## MEETINGS

Youth Fellowship of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 7 o'clock.

Popodickon Tribe 388, Improved Order of Red Men, tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Keystone Fire company.

Boyertown Civil Air Patrol tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the high school.

Boyertown board of health tonight at 9 o'clock at home of the secretary, R. Vincent Clarke, 32 South Reading avenue.

## Parent-Teacher Group To Entertain Faculty

The high school faculty will be entertained at dinner tonight by members of the Parent-Teacher association in the school cafeteria at 6:30 p. m.

Officers for the coming year will be installed following dinner.

## JURORS EXCUSED

Among 35 persons excused from jury duty for the first week of the May term of Civil court in Reading were John F. Barrett, inspector; Charles E. Bauman, laborer; Harvey K. Heacock, custodian; Mrs. Helen M. Lefever, housewife and William D. Mack, blender, all of Boyertown.

647 East Philadelphia avenue, on Thursday, May 27, from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. In the form of a reception for new members, the event will be open to all women of the club.

## Sassamansville Pastor Honored at Reception

The Rev. William Shaud, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sassamansville, was honored at a surprise reception attended by 200 at the church held the past Sunday by the Sunday school and congregation.

The event began with a covered dish social in the pavilion. The building was decorated for the event and flowers abounded. A bouquet formed the centerpiece at the main table.

A program followed dinner. Dolores Zern, organist at Huff's Union church, Alburtis, played several organ solos and Wanda Gresh, of Boyertown, sang several numbers, including "The Lord's Prayer." Renninger accompanied her. Thelma Reinbauer played a piano solo.

Fay and Fern Conrad sang a duet and several members of the Sunday school recited. Additional music by Renninger, the organist, followed. A gift was then presented to the Rev. Shaud. The pastor's parents, of Annville, were also present.

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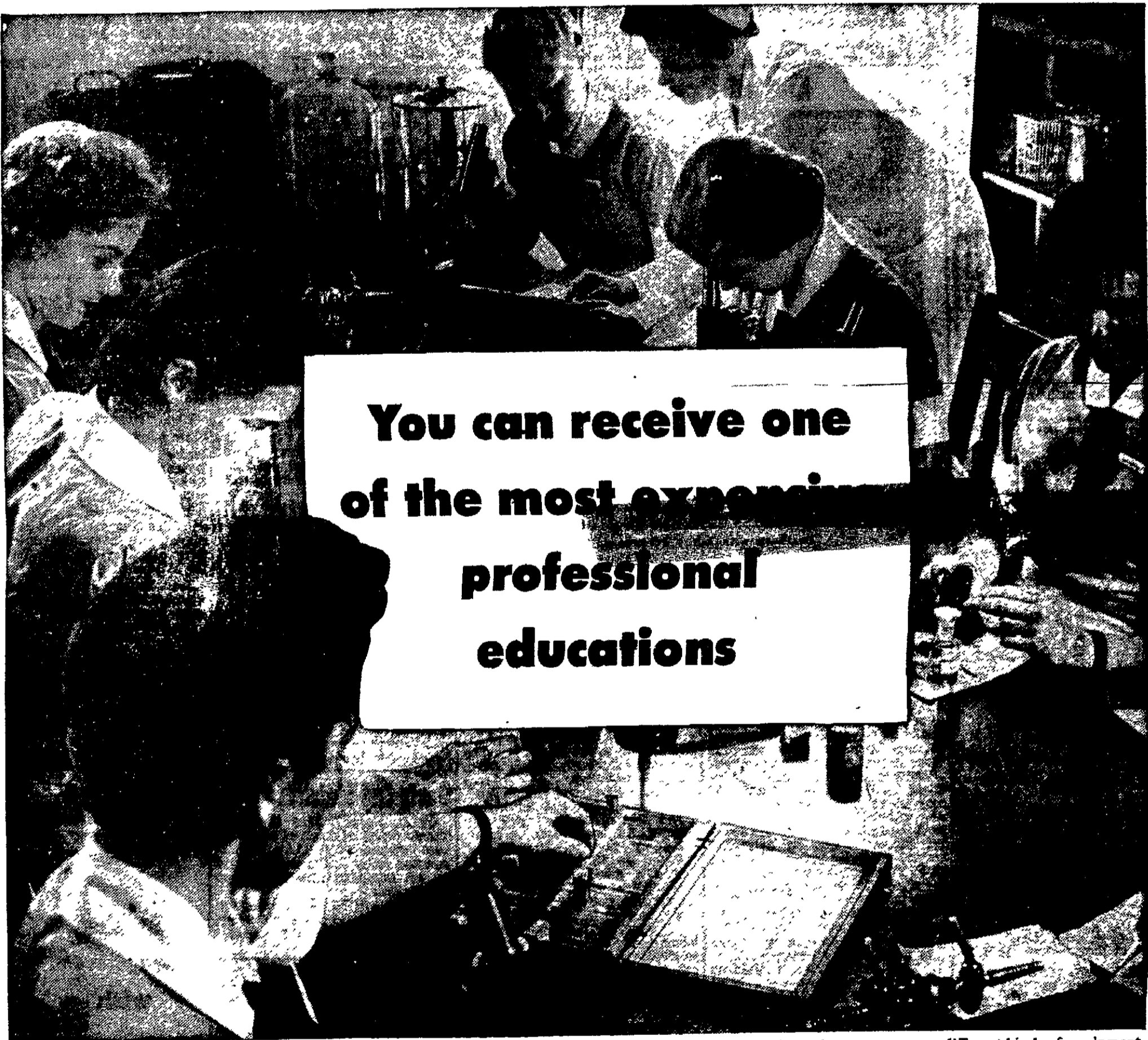


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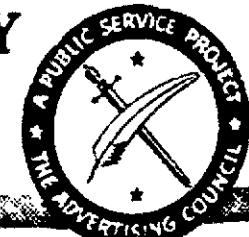
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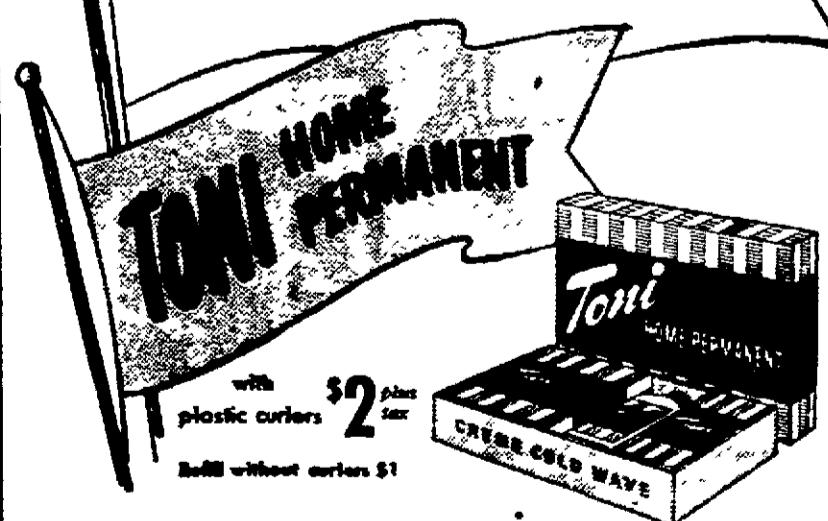
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7-Run Rally Gives All-Stars 12-5 Victory Over Flagg's

Pounding three pitchers for 15 base hits, six of them coming in a big seven-run fifth inning, the Negro All-Stars coasted to their second consecutive victory in the Pottstown City-Industrial baseball league last night — a 12-5 verdict over Flagg's.

A crowd of 300 fans watched the game, called after five full innings because of darkness creeping over Franklin Field.

From the very start, when Bill Smith smacked the second pitch of the game for a home run, the All-Stars made it a hitting circus.

The All-Stars scored three times in the first inning, but saw Flagg's come back for a single run in the same frame and three in the third inning to take a 4-3 lead. Flagg's needed only one base hit in the third but took advantage of three All-Star errors to score.

THE VICTORS came back for two runs and a 5-4 lead in the top of the fourth on a triple by Smith and singles by Randy Beasley and Jimmy Howard, but Harry Penrose's single and Stan Wassuk's long triple to right field tied it at 5-5 in the bottom of the fourth.

Before Flagg's could retire the All-Stars in the top half of the fifth inning, three pitchers had paraded to the mound. Starting pitcher Jimmy Knepp faced the first seven men to bat in the fifth and was touched for six runs and three hits.

Jim Scheetz relieved him but pitched to only two men. He was greeted by singles off the bats of Red Oliver and Jimmy Howard before Manager Al Ramsdell called in southpaw Steve Zezenski.

ZEZENSKI faced three batters, retired two and gave up a single to Shorty Stanford.

The defeat was the second straight this year for Flagg's, who reached the league playoffs a year ago.

Tonight on Franklin Field, the Coffee Cup takes on the Amvets in a game that was scheduled to open the league a week ago but was rained out. Game time tonight is 8:15 o'clock.

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# RHODE TO FACE BILLY DARNELL IN READING RING

Wrestlers Meet in Main Bout Tomorrow; Marvin Mercer in Action

READING, May 11 — A pair of powerful young Camden, N. J. wrestlers, Herman "Dutch" Rhode and Billy Darnell, will clash in the feature event in the Armory here Thursday night in what promises to be one of the stellar mat attractions of the current season.

Darnell, a pleasing youngster who is known in the trade as the American Adonis, has the unusual honor of being the only man to pin Rhode in the past two years. Darnell performed the feat in New York only a month ago.

Needless to say, Rhode—who is a popular performer here—is out to gain revenge Thursday night, for the dynamic Camden blond has an excellent record in Reading, having lost only once in eight matches this season and then by being disqualified.

DARNELL IS no complete stranger to Armory fans, although this is his first chance at a main event here. Since the war, he has risen rapidly to become one of the best young grapplers in the business—rivalled only by Rhode.

An excellent supporting card features Thursday's show. In the semi-windup, Reading's Marvin Mercer makes his 50th hometown start, facing the slick Ace Freeman, of Chicago. Mercer and Freeman met earlier in the season here with Mercer winning a close decision.

In the 30-minute preliminaries, George Macrostas, the Golden Greek, takes on Francois Miquett, French Champion, and Milo Steinborn grapples Phil Gruber, young New Yorker. Action begins Thursday night at 8:45 o'clock.

# BIG SIX

Player and Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Hoimes, Braves	12	39	3	18	.462
Boudreau, Indians	16	63	12	27	.429
Zavala, Browns	15	55	6	27	.483
Gustine, Pirates	18	68	14	26	.412
Williams, Red Sox	19	69	20	28	.406
Edwards, Dodgers	12	41	9	16	.390

# Home Run Leaders

American League	National League
Keltner, Indians 10	Sauer, Reds 6
Williams, Red Sox 7	Kiner, Pirates 6
Stephens, Red Sox 5	Heath, Braves 4
Doby, Indians 5	Mize, Giants 4
Cooper, Giants 4	Ennis, Phillies 4

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# BOSTON RED SOX DEFEAT CHISOX BEHIND KRAMER

Vern Stephens Sets Pace In 8-0 Victory With Two Long Home Runs

BOSTON, May 11 (AP) — Aided by two home runs by Vern Stephens and one by Bobby Doerr the Boston Red Sox today blanked the Chicago White Sox 8-0 behind the six single pitching of handsome Jack Kramer against whom only one enemy base runner advanced as far as second base.

Stephens treated Starter Glen Moulder like a batting practice pitcher, leading off the second inning with a home run high into the screen atop the left field wall and duplicating the stunt in the third inning.

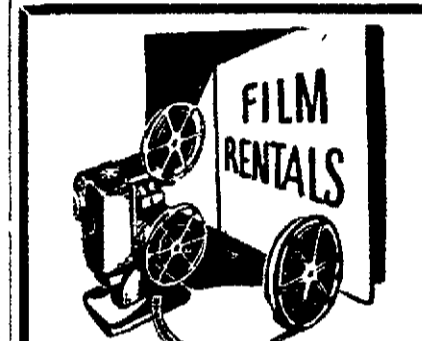
Bobby Doerr followed the example set by Stephens in the second inning when he too punched a drive into the same netting.

Boston manager Joe McCarthy changed his lineup in an effort to put some thump into the local hose who had lost five in a row. Stan Spence, who has been a first baseman all season, was sent into right field and Jake Jones played first.

The loss was the seventh in succession for Chicago's Sox.

Chicago	ab	r	h	o	a	Boston	ab	r	h	o	a
Baker, 2b	4	0	1	4	1	DuMou, cf	4	1	2	3	1
Applegate, 3b	4	0	0	2	0	Pokey, 2b	4	2	2	1	
Almon, 1b	4	0	1	0	2	Williams, 1b	3	0	1	2	0
Wright, rf	4	0	1	0	1	Spence, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Robinson, c	3	0	1	0	0	Stephens, ss	5	2	2	2	
Phillips, cf	3	0	2	0	0	Doerr, 2b	4	2	1	3	
Kenney, lf	3	0	0	2	0	Jones, 1b	5	0	2	1	0
Michals, ss	3	0	1	2	4	Tietts, c	2	1	2	0	
Moulder, p	1	0	0	1	0	Kramer, p	3	0	0	1	
Judson, p	1	0	0	0	0						
Gillespie, p	0	0	0	0	0						

Totals 31 0 6 24 10 Totals 34 8 13 27 8  
Chicago..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0  
Boston..... 1 2 2 0 1 2 0 x-8  
Runs batted in—Williams, Stephens 2,  
Doerr, Tietts, Fensky. Two-base hits—  
Jones 2. Home runs—Doerr, Stephens.  
2. Losing pitcher—Moulder.



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# VFW TO PRACTICE

Royersford Veterans of Foreign Wars ball club will meet Neiffer tonight at 6:15 o'clock on Royersford High school field. Tomorrow night the "Fords Vets" will clash with Pottstown East Ends on the Royersford diamond.

# East End Drops First Game To Redbirds by 6-5 Score

# WARWICK TROUNCES COCHRANVILLE, 18-0

Dave Tholan, Warwick High's sophomore pitcher, hurled a one-hit game against Cochranville yesterday afternoon but stranded 17 opposing players on the bases as Warwick won, 18-0, at Warwick.

Warwick teed off on Jim McHenry for 19 base hits in seven innings. The visitors clinched the game in the second inning, when they scored eight runs.

Warwick	ab	r	h	o	a	Cochranville	ab	r	h	o	a
Wells, 3b	5	3	2	0	1	Rissel, 1b	4	0	0	6	0
W McHenry, c	5	4	2	0	0	Blunk, c	2	0	1	5	0
Stettin, 2b	5	3	3	2	0	Buckner, ss	2	0	1	1	
J Foster, lf	5	3	3	0	0	Miller, cf	2	0	0	1	0
Moses, ss	4	1	1	2	0	McHenry, p	3	0	0	2	
J McHenry, cf	3	1	0	0	0	Jaeger, rf	3	0	0	1	0
Bauer, 1b	3	2	1	0	0	Althoff, 3b	3	0	0	0	0
Burkhardt, rf	3	1	2	1	0	Board, 2b	0	0	0	1	2
D Tolp, p	3	0	0	0	0	Hill, 2b	2	0	0	0	0
Wynn, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	Ward, rf	1	0	0	3	6
Burd, cf	2	0	1	0	0						
Bedl, ss	1	0	1	0	0						
G Shinn, rf	1	0	1	0	0						
Shangle, 2b	0	0	0	1	0						

Totals 42 18 19 21 5 Totals 22 0 1 13 5  
Cochranville..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0  
Warwick..... 1 8 4 3 0 2 x-18

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# National Cage Loop Plans Court Action In Fight With BAA

CHICAGO, May 11 (AP) — The wobbly National Basketball League today threatened court action in its fight with the rival Basketball Association of America over four bolting clubs.

At the same time, the NBL announced it had issued a franchise to a Detroit syndicate associated with "Forum, Inc."

New NBL president, Leo Ferris, said the legal action would be based upon a resolution passed the past month in which all National Loops concurred—including Minneapolis, Rochester, Indianapolis and Fort Wayne, Ind., which yesterday jumped to the BAA.

The resolution, Ferris said, provided that if any club withdrew without league permission, its players would become league property.

Once the four jumping clubs begin BAA competition, Ferris said, the NBL would seek an injunction against their players claiming ownership of their contracts.

# RUNS BATTED IN

American League	National League
Williams, Red Sox 4	Heath, Braves 4
Keltner, Indians 3	Kiner, Pirates 3
Boudreau, Indians 2	Stephens, Red Sox 2
Maloney, Athletics 1	

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# Boyerstown IOOF Team To Practice Saturday

An important practice for Boyertown IOOF softies has been announced by Paul Shollenberger, coach, for Saturday at 1 p. m. on the East Third street field in Boyertown.

Shollenberger said that all men who wish to be candidates for the team must report. Practice games will be held next week and the season will officially get underway the following week.

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## Spring City Groups Press Plans for Cleanup of Canal

Impetus to a widespread local movement to effect a cleanup of the Schuylkill canal through Spring City was added at an enthusiastic meeting of civic and fraternal groups in Spring City borough hall Monday night.

Upwards of 35 persons affiliated with the organizations of the community attended the session and went into a discussion on the benefits which would be derived from the program, as contrasted to the consequences, in the event the canal should be "closed up."

Representatives of the various groups attending spoke in favor of restoring the canal to its former condition and agreed to carry their reports back to the respective organizations.

ANOTHER MEETING was arranged for Monday night, May 24, in borough hall, to hear the result of these reports and formulate plans to proceed with plans to induce the State department of forests and waters to include the present level of the canal in the proposed clean-up program.

W. Kenneth Rothmel, chairman of borough council's committee, was chairman of the meeting.

Rothmel pointed out the canal is of no use to the community, either from a scenic or an economic standpoint, at present, but if it were cleaned "the waterway could be restored to a thing of beauty, aside from the added protection for water supply to the community in the event of a serious fire in the business district."

He also cited recreational and fishing facilities. The closing of the canal would provide an excellent breeding spot for mosquitoes, and an eye sore, he said.

## New Pastor Elected For Kimberton Charge

Robert William Keifer, Scranton, who will be graduated from Mt. Airy Theological seminary Thursday, May 20, has been elected pastor of Kimberton Centennial Lutheran church and Pikeland Lutheran church, effective as of June 1.

Keifer, who was graduated from Muhlenberg college before entering the seminary, will be ordained May 25 by the Archbishop of Sweden. He will succeed the Rev. L. S. Trump as pastor of the Kimberton charges, who resigned April 1, after serving more than 20 years. His acceptance of call was read to the congregations the past Sunday.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Till and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lambert and children, Patsy and Bobby, Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. John Hartman, Plymouth Meeting, were recent guests of the Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Hartman, 615 Main street, Royersford.

## Twin-Boro Classified

**Deaths**  
GRANDER—In Pottstown on Monday, May 10, 1945, Clarence O. Grander, aged 79 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Nelson Funeral Home, Inc., 357 Walnut St., Royersford, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment in Fernwood cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening 7 to 9.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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KATSEUS—On Sunday, May 9, 1945, Katherine (Katz) Katsesus, widow of Isadore Katsesus, aged 79 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from her late residence, Royersford, RD 1, on Wednesday, May 12, at 9 a. m. Requiem High Mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's Catholic church at 10 a. m. Interment in St. Benedict's cemetery, Conshohocken. Friends may call at the late residence Tuesday evening 7 to 9. (Flosschmann)

**Card of Thanks**  
RICHARDS  
The family of the late Mrs. Sarah L. Richards desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

**DEATHS—FUNERALS**  
Funeral services for CLARENCE O. GRANDER, 842 HIGH STREET, POTTSTOWN, formerly of Twin Boro, who died Monday night, will be conducted in a funeral home at 367 Walnut street, Royersford, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Fernwood cemetery.

**Play to Be Repeated  
In 'Ford Church'**

"The Old Maids Convention," which scored a triumph when presented at a recent coffee social by the women of the Church in Royersford Grace Lutheran church, will be repeated tonight at 8 o'clock in the recreation room of the church.

Special musical numbers will be included on the program. Mrs. Paul J. Henry is coaching the playlets, the cast of which is as follows:

Mrs. James Newborn, Mrs. Warren Leighton, Mrs. Wilbur Koons, John Flynn, Mrs. Clarence Townley, Mrs. Harry Frederick, Mrs. Darwin Buckwalter, Mrs. Eva Wagner, Mrs. Roy C. Koch, Mrs. Earl Schell, Mrs. Raymond Schell and Mrs. Elmer Schrak. A skit by Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory is included.

Special musical numbers are a two-act selection by Misses Jeanne Koch and Phyllis Stafford; two selections by a quartet composed of Mrs. U. S. G. Finklin, Mrs. Irvin Johnson, Mrs. Eva Wagner and Mrs. Emma Collins, and a trio comprising Mrs. Darwin Buckwalter, Mrs. Edwin Finklin and Mrs. Daniel Weiser.

**Royersford Club Packs  
Food Box for German Girl**

The Happy Girls Playmate club held its weekly meeting yesterday afternoon in the social hall of Royersford Methodist church.

Starting with group singing, the program continued with the Scripture lesson read by Barbara Hilborn; prayer, Barbara Mulford; a duet by Jane and Martha Mowrey and a vocal solo by Nancy West.

Nancy West was in charge of the business meeting. Reports were given by Bette DeHaven, secretary and Beverly English, treasurer.

The following committee was appointed for a kiddies' carnival: Jane and Martha Mowrey, Barbara Mulford and Bette DeHaven.

Also attending were Harriet Rossi, Barbara Burns, Sandra Gerges, Elizabeth Morse, Jane Lewis, Geraldine Stepp, Mary Weiser and Mrs. Jane DeHaven, leader.

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**Card of Thanks**  
RICHARDS  
The family of the late Mrs. Sarah L. Richards desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

**DEATHS—FUNERALS**  
Funeral services for CLARENCE O. GRANDER, 842 HIGH STREET, POTTSTOWN, formerly of Twin Boro, who died Monday night, will be conducted in a funeral home at 367 Walnut street, Royersford, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Fernwood cemetery.

**Play to Be Repeated  
In 'Ford Church'**

"The Old Maids Convention," which scored a triumph when presented at a recent coffee social by the women of the Church in Royersford Grace Lutheran church, will be repeated tonight at 8 o'clock in the recreation room of the church.

Special musical numbers will be included on the program. Mrs. Paul J. Henry is coaching the playlets, the cast of which is as follows:

Mrs. James Newborn, Mrs. Warren Leighton, Mrs. Wilbur Koons, John Flynn, Mrs. Clarence Townley, Mrs. Harry Frederick, Mrs. Darwin Buckwalter, Mrs. Eva Wagner, Mrs. Roy C. Koch, Mrs. Earl Schell, Mrs. Raymond Schell and Mrs. Elmer Schrak. A skit by Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory is included.

Special musical numbers are a two-act selection by Misses Jeanne Koch and Phyllis Stafford; two selections by a quartet composed of Mrs. U. S. G. Finklin, Mrs. Irvin Johnson, Mrs. Eva Wagner and Mrs. Emma Collins, and a trio comprising Mrs. Darwin Buckwalter, Mrs. Edwin Finklin and Mrs. Daniel Weiser.

**Royersford Club Packs  
Food Box for German Girl**

The Happy Girls Playmate club held its weekly meeting yesterday afternoon in the social hall of Royersford Methodist church.

Starting with group singing, the program continued with the Scripture lesson read by Barbara Hilborn; prayer, Barbara Mulford; a duet by Jane and Martha Mowrey and a vocal solo by Nancy West.

Nancy West was in charge of the business meeting. Reports were given by Bette DeHaven, secretary and Beverly English, treasurer.

The following committee was appointed for a kiddies' carnival: Jane and Martha Mowrey, Barbara Mulford and Bette DeHaven.

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